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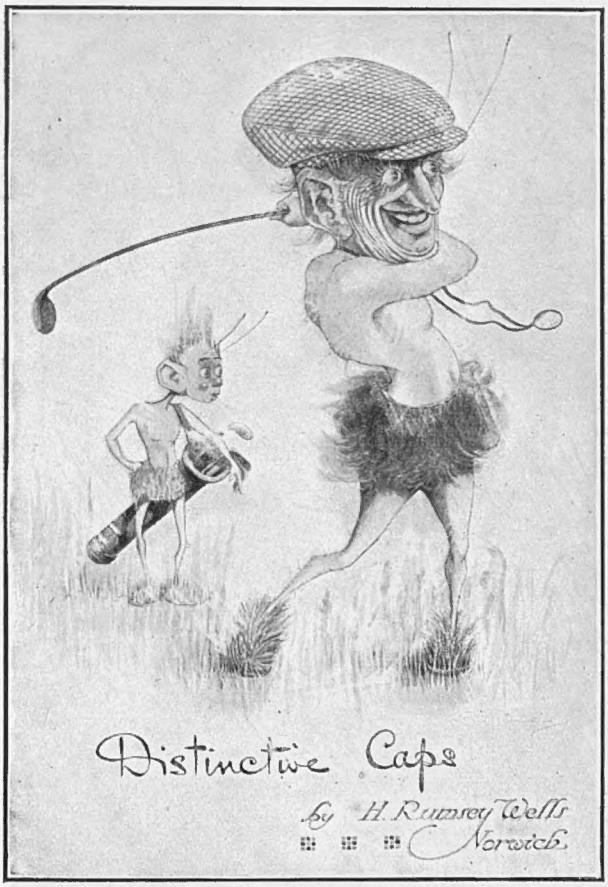

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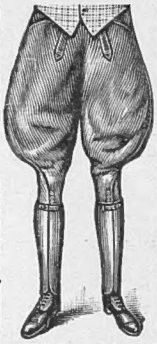

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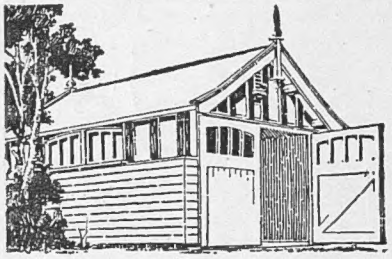

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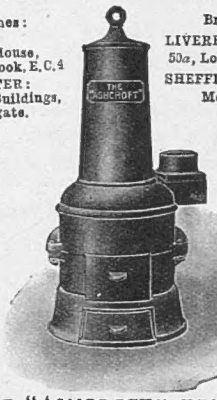

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Bystander Comments

Fish

"Sir John," I remarked, as the diamond-studded butler handed a middle-steak of broiled salmon, "you don't seem to be taking to heart the warning of Ll. G. as to economy. Now this fish. . . ."

"Don't talk to me of fish," growled the plutocrat; "I don't mean salmon, even though this brute costs me a guinea a pound by the time I've paid my keepers; it's mackerel I'm thinking of."

"Does the lowly mackerel make the board of Dives groan?"

"No, but it's making Lazarus groan. Just because my shops are charging him eightpence. Well, isn't a mackerel worth it? Some (scarlet) busybodies have been publishing the fact that I only pay three farthings per fish. And they call me a profiteer! I am, but I don't want it known!"

I laughed. "Oh, I remember; yes. They've been working out that the fish costs three farthings, the transport a halfpenny, that the wholesaler gets twopence, that the retailer . . ."

"That's enough," bellowed Sir John. "Haven't I got to make a living? How am I to keep nine cars if I don't? I'm at my wits' ends; the Manx fishermen now have the cheek to say they'll cut me out and open their own shops. I'm ruined." Then the plutocrat grew thoughtful and smiled: "I don't know. When the public-spirited fishermen have scooped the market, they'll charge eightpence too. It's human nature to profiteer. And then I'll come in and undercut them, and benefit the public, and get the O.B.E."

Passports

"Sir," thundered Diddlebury (M.P. for Colney Hatch), "this is an outrage. An outrage, sir. I have been refused a passport. A loud-socked minion of the Coalition saw fit to question my credentials, to minimise the importance of my business. . . ."

"In Germany?"

"That is irrelevant, sir. The point I raise, sir, is how much longer shall we grovel under the heel of Dora? I wish to travel, I am a British citizen, a member of the Liberal Party, and I am told to wait and see. . . . Ahem! I don't mean that. Anyhow, Clarence, I ask you: now that the French give annual passports to everybody, now that the Americans are filling them in in thousands, is it right, is it righteous, that our commercial travellers should be debarred? That persons wishing to trade should have to wait and (ahem!) see the foreigner annex the contracts?"

I said nothing. Diddlebury is right, this once. I say—no more passports. We all want to get across to Trouville if we can raise the fare.

Coal as Usual

"Well, Bill, are you pleased? Ll. G.'s letting you have your own way. No more mining royalties; no more dukes to raise strawberry leaves in soil watered with proletarian sweat; dukes to pay for the miner's bath (use not compulsory); seats for working-men on the new amalgamated boards; seats. . . ."

"You'll have a seat you (gory) well can't sit on, young Clarence," said Bill, in a menacing tone, "if you flap yer mouth at me. I ain't satisfied; see? I wants natcheralisation."

"You mean nationalisation, don't you? Or are you a Hun?"

Bill sat up on the floor, having struck the air as I ducked, and went on: "I wants nationalisation, as you call it. Wot for? Fer peace an' 'armony. To come together with yer (perished) Government and make it wish it was dead."

"Your version of peace and harmony, Bill, doesn't exactly correspond with life in the Garden of Eden."

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THE INCUBUS

BYSTANDER COMMENTS (continued)

"Cawn't 'elp yer troubles. But yer needn't be down-'earted like. When me and my pals gets nationalisation, we'll (purple) well *be* the Government. Then there'll be peace an' 'armony, 'cos a man don't bash his own face."

Yes, I thought it was something like that.

Departmental Dovecotes

THERE are flutterings in the dovecotes of Whitehall, Spring Gardens, the Kingsway, and other places where the wily departmental birds foregather. The edict has gone forth, and by now, I take it, the initial stages of the weeding-out process will have begun. The Prime Minister made no bones about it in his letter. "The time has come," said he, "when each minister ought to make it clear to those under his control that, if they cannot reduce expenditure, they must make room for someone who can. That is the public temper, and it is right." Apropos of which a correspondent sends me the following:

"The time has come," the Wizard said,
"To save on many things—
On motor-cars and Mr. Mars,
To whom the Limpet clings."

STERLING ASSISTANCE
"Say, John! Let *me* assist you to rise!"

Retrenchment

BUT welcome as flowers in spring or an enlarged butter ration (if and when!), is this recognition, on the part of high authority, of unnecessary expense where the forthcoming curtailment will provide the best possible example to humbler folk. For, really, the proverbial pot and kettle are not in the running for the Grand Prix of Inconsistency with a Government that, paying away huge sums in support of a kind of super-administration, calls upon the governed to retrench.

The First Step

BUT what a deal of writing and talking and general "strafing" it has taken in order to get responsible authority to act on its own advice! However, one must not be over-critical now that the Premier has at last given us a lead away from "the abyss of national bankruptcy." But the public will not be satisfied until the reports, called for from the various departments, as to *what has actually been done* in a month or so's time, are down in black-and-white for all to see. For the "limpets" take a lot of shifting!

THE "LOOK-OUT"—AND "THE OUTLOOK"
A study in black and white

Will the Padres Strike?

THE very latest thing in strike threats comes from the States—where, of course, one naturally looks for the "latest," be it a strike or a "point"! "Only a lingering sense of duty," says Mr. R. J. Straton, a Baptist parson, "altruism and service, is preventing the preachers of America from forming a union, calling a strike, and telling the people to go to"—well, the place it's generally considered to be the duty of a padre to help one to dodge. While holding out every sympathy for the hard lot of the U.S.A. preacher in his battle, on a small wage, with rising costs of living, I sincerely trust that "his sense of duty" will effectually restrain him from the fatal plunge. Because the trouble might—one never knows—spread to this country, and then what in the world would some of us find to do on Sunday? And the prospect of a "gloomy Dean" uttering impassioned and ever gloomier orations on Tower Hill or in Trafalgar Square is really not very inviting!

The Ever-Present Problem

THE problem of the re-settlement in civil life of demobilised officers is still very far from a satisfactory solution, *vide passim* the agony columns of some of the morning papers, and there exists,

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The Prince Arrives in Canada

THE PRINCE WATCHING THE PAGEANT OF THE PROVINCES

On his left are the Hon. William Pugsley, Lieut.-Governor of New Brunswick, and the Premier, Sir R. L. Borden; on his right is the Duke of Devonshire, Governor-General of Canada

H.R.H., ON LANDING AT ST. JOHN'S,
Is received by the Duke of Devonshire

THE PRINCE REVIEWING THE GUARD OF HONOUR AT THE WHARF, ST. JOHN'S, (and inset above) PRESENTING REGIMENTAL COLOURS TO THE 26th NEW BRUNSWICKS IN THE PRESENCE OF THOSE REMAINING OF THIS FAMOUS REGIMENT

unfortunately, a type of public opinion represented by a certain Member of Parliament who, shortly before the House rose for the recess, expressed the view that money voted for the training of ex-officers was an unnecessary extravagance at a time when national economy was so essential. If I remember rightly, he was soundly "told off" by Mr. Fisher in reply. Heaven knows, national economy is essential enough just now, but there are plenty of ways in which it can yet be practised before we try penalising men who, for their country's sake, have had five years or so cut right out of the most important period in their careers.

Photograph *Vandyk*
THE LATE GEN. L. BOTHA
Whose much regretted and sudden death occurred last week

Wanted—Unity

In this connection Captain H. H. C. Baird, D.S.O., who has long been doing yeoman work for the ex-officer, recently contributed an excellent letter to the *Times*, in which he emphasised the need for co-ordination among the various official, semi-official, and voluntary agencies working on ex-officers' behalf. A new society of this kind, indeed, seems to crop up almost every week, and the danger in this large number is apparent when a well-known contemporary of irreproachable repute, which makes a speciality of exposing "doubtful" concerns, has found it necessary to warn ex-officers against joining at least one of these societies on the grounds of the dubious character of those responsible for its administration. It is to be hoped that the Imperial Ex-Services Association, recently inaugurated to support Sir Douglas Haig's plea for unity, will successfully bring about this long-wanted result.

Widnes

Mr. Arthur Henderson has only himself to thank for any little difficulties in which his sensational announcement about his mission to Petrograd may have involved him. Some folk have a passion for the limelight. I do not know whether Mr. Henderson is numbered among these, but he has at least succeeded in getting into it. You can't very well, on a public platform, tell a story of how you voluntarily threw up a chance of £8,000 a year and nobly refrained, for your country's benefit, from supplanting in your own person a long-accredited and well-tried diplomatic official, without inviting a certain amount of public attention! Unless, of course, you are merely being facetious, and his worst enemy could never accuse Mr. Henderson of that! Mr. F. M. B. Fisher, the Unionist candidate, has naturally taken full advantage of this limelight upon his opponent—from a place in the stalls, so to speak—and the country awaits the result of this election with very considerable interest.

LORD INVERCLYDE
Who recently succeeded to the title on the death of his father, the third Baron. He is a subaltern in the Scots Guards

Obituary

In the death of Louis Botha, which occurred with such tragic suddenness at Pretoria last week, the Empire loses at once a faithful servant and a gallant leader of men. At the end of the Boer War, Botha, despite the fact that he had led our enemies with much distinction in the field, entertained no bitterness against us. On the contrary, he was quick to realise the full import of British Imperial aims, and from that time until the day of his death he never swerved from his loyalty to the Empire. To him, as Prime Minister of the Union of South Africa, the remarkable recovery of the Transvaal after the Boer War was mainly due. He never spared himself, and when the European War broke out, despite failing health and the fact that in the rebellion which quickly arose in Africa he found old colleagues, like Beyers and De Wet, in arms against him, he never looked back until the rebels were crushed and he had brought to a successful conclusion a brilliant campaign in German South-West Africa. After that his attention was turned to German East Africa, which he reduced in due course, and a magnificent contingent of South Africans was sent by him to the Western Front. Of simple habit and homely speech, with no gift for, or inclination to, oratory, he was a born leader, a great South African, and a still greater Imperialist.

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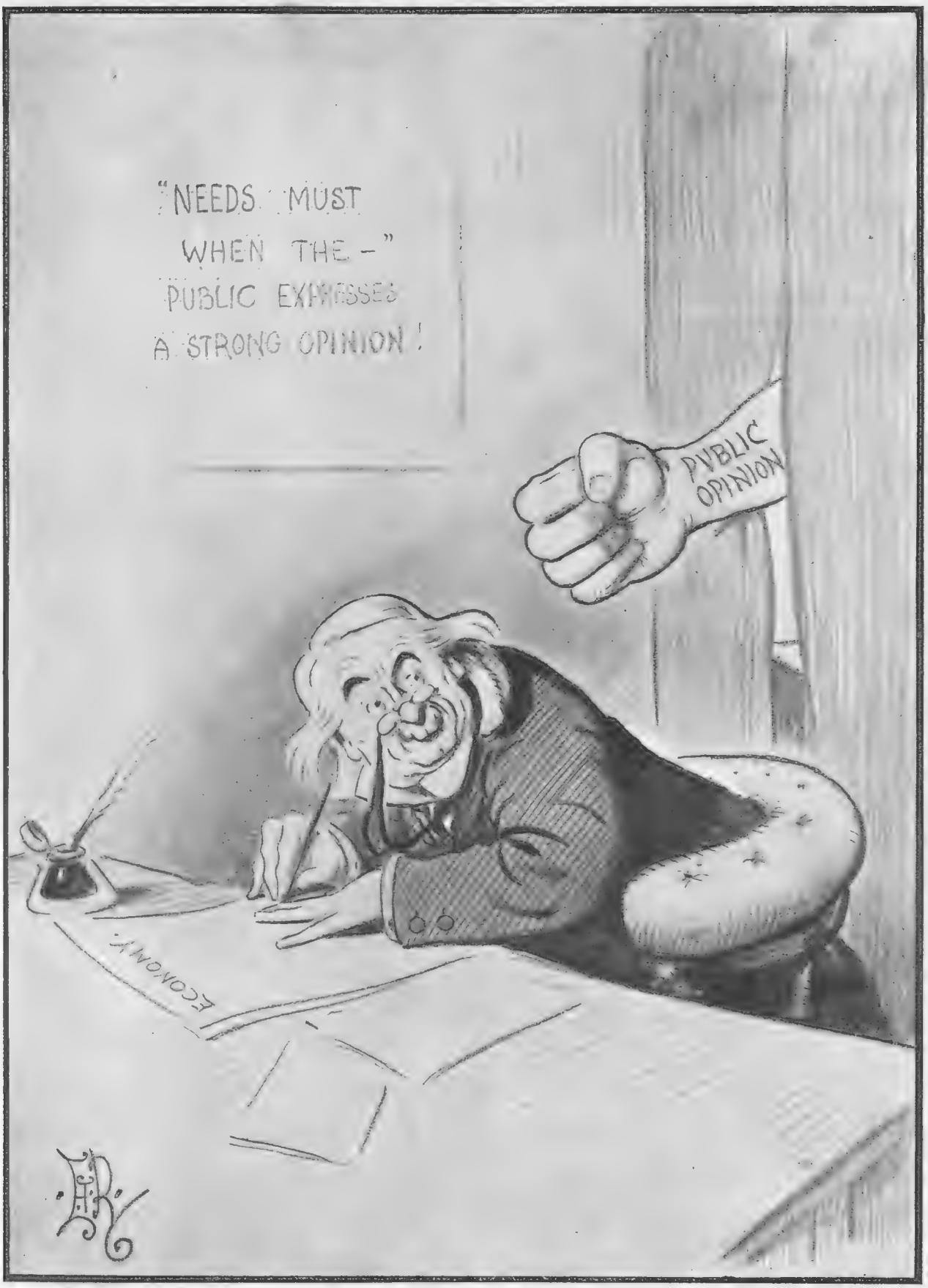
HE CAME, HE SAW—AND WENT AWAY!
This photograph was taken on the occasion of Mr. Arthur Henderson's visit to Petrograd, when Sir George Buchanan was British Ambassador, and shows the labour leader (on the right) with Sir George. During an electioneering speech at Widnes Mr. Henderson recently claimed that on this occasion he could have taken Sir George's job at £8,000 a year—but didn't!

The Amanuensis: or, A Case of Controlled Writing



THE P M.: "O-o-oh, yes! Q-q-quite so! 'TH-THOSE WHO CANNOT REDUCE EXP-P-PENDITURE MUST MAKE ROOM FOR S-S-SOMEBODY ELSE'—I've p-put that! 'THEY M-MUST BE C-C-COMPELLED TO DO IT.' Oh, y-y-yes! I've said that all right, too!" (Aside, *"I do hate dictation!"*)

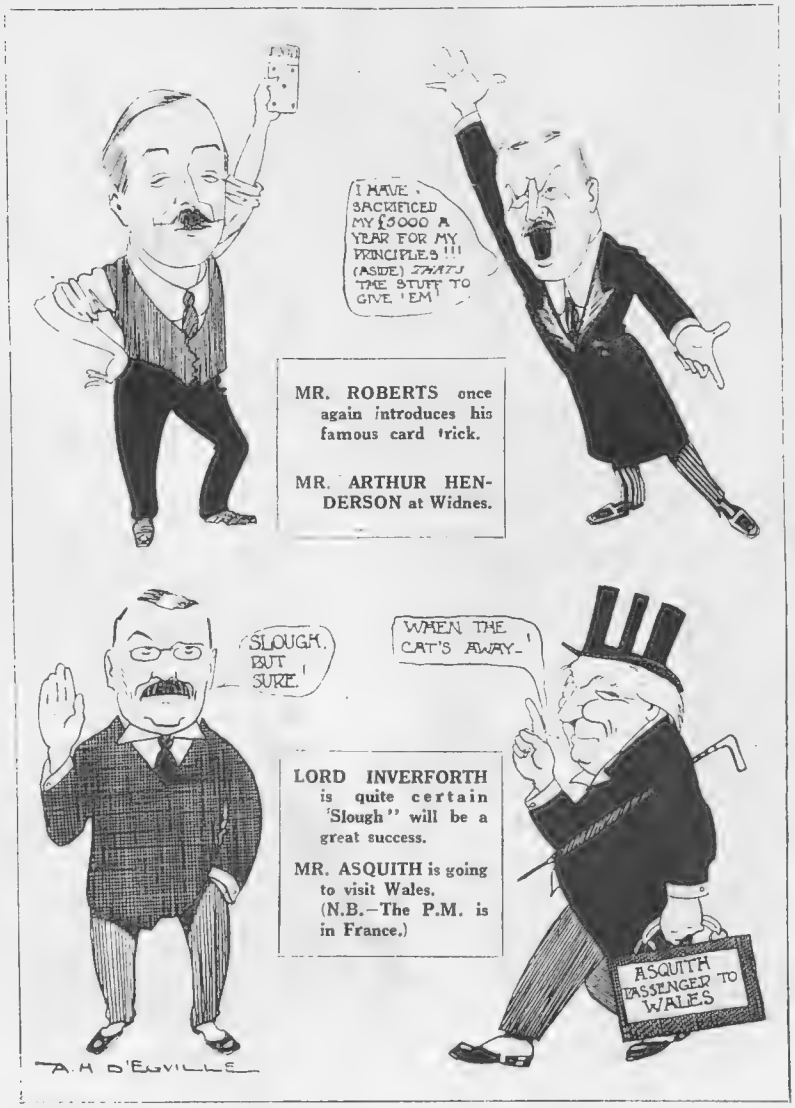
BY E. T. REED

BYSTANDER COMMENTS (concluded)

Mediums—"House Full"

You would have thought that the end of the season would have brought the spiritualistic mediums a holiday. Bless you, no, they are busier than ever, not only in London, but in the country, too. Some of them are booked weeks ahead for séances. At one house in Scotland, which has been taken until the end of October by a dame of quality, who is simply obsessed by the subject, three mediums have been engaged by the month, one each for August, September and October. The persistence of the craze, now that the crushing anxiety is over, is astonishing. But what is even more astonishing, is the amount of money and time that folk like this particular dame, are prepared to spend for fruitless results. They seem to lose all common-sense. This lady, for instance, is a good judge of horses. If a dealer tried to sell her an obvious "wrong-'un," or sold her two or three animals in succession that she found to be "fakes," she would have a very definite opinion of that dealer. But common-sense, judgment, everything seems to fly out of the window when it is a question of mediums and "spirit-communion." And the mediums know it.

Political Personalities in Caricature



A Game of Epigrams

Epigrams are not nearly so difficult to invent as some of the dramatists would have you believe. Take a nimble brain and a ready tongue, as the cooking recipes say, add to them a little knowledge of the world and a dash of malice, stir well over a quick fire of repartee—and there you are—an epigram all hot and smoking. At a house in the North, where they still have a few pennies left on which to entertain their friends, some bright soul of the party started a game of epigrams the other evening. People really do seem to be getting tired of everlasting bridge, and I have heard of one house where dumb crambo leaves the bridge tables empty. But this is in parenthesis. The epigram-makers were not particularly brilliant, but they did their little best. I mention the fact, because the game brought a young woman to her senses.

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In the party were a Nice Young Man and a peer's daughter. They met last year. He fell so completely in love that she felt absolutely sure of him. And, because of that extraordinary delight which some women take in "playing" a man of whose devotion they are certain, the lady thoroughly enjoyed herself. He proposed. She wouldn't, she would; she might, she mightn't; she wasn't sure—you know the gamut

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But during the season one or two little whispers reached the lady that the Nice Young Man was offering incense at the shrine of the Chorus. She became cold. The Nice Young Man became cold also, and the lady went to Yorkshire not at all easy in her mind. But, woman-like, when she found the N. Y. M. was of the party, she kept him, not at one but two arm's length. Now, the hostess, who was the N. Y. M.'s aunt, knew the whole story. When it came to her turn to make an epigram she looked the wobbling-minded lady straight in the face and said, "Many a chorus girl has achieved matrimony through the indecision of peers' daughters."

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When the ladies were going to bed the wobbly-one, obviously badly worried, blurted out to her hostess, "Surely, he is not going to marry *her?*" "That depends entirely on you, my dear," was the answer. Wobble was all gone the next morning, and the wedding invitations, I believe, are going out in October. The game of epigrams has its uses.

The Wife of a Very Gallant Baronet

Photograph A NEW PORTRAIT OF LADY BIRDWOOD [*Bassano*

Wife of General Sir William Birdwood, famous the world over as "The Soul of Anzac," who came in for a baronetcy and a grant of £10,000 "for services rendered" a few weeks ago

Scenes and Personalities at

LORD FRENCH AND LORD RATHDONALD
The latter is President of the Show

LADY POWERSCOURT driving her four-in-hand Shetland ponies, and (inset) MISS BROCKLEBANK, driver of the winning four-in-hand team

After a lapse of six years, the Royal Dublin Society's Horse Show was revived last week in Ballsbridge Grounds. The total number of entries was over 900 in the various classes, a figure that does not fall far short of that usual in pre-war

the Royal Dublin Horse Show

A TEAM IN THE FOUR-IN-HAND COMPETITION
With a general view of Ballsbridge Grounds

A COMPETITOR IN THE JUMPING COMPETITION

LORD KILLEEN, LADY A. BUTLER, AND LADY NUTTING (in white)

LADY WELDON AND HER TWO SONS (Sir Anthony Weldon on left)

times. The Show was a great success, and many people well known in Society on both sides of the Irish Channel were present, including Lord French

"IN ENGLAND-NOW!"

A WEEKLY LETTER FROM "BLANCHE." Illustrated by HELEN McKIE

HARROGATE, *September* 1, 1919.

DEAR COUSIN—

AM in the mind to write to you this week what, I hope, won't be called "a kind of a guide-book sort of letter"—my brain being full at this moment of a rather nice motor-trip from London to what someone's called this "town of splendid indolence held by the Yorkshire moors as in an irregular cup," and of what it looks like in the eastern country places, here in England now.

"A kind of a guide book sort of letter"

WELL. . . . Lovelier, of course, lots lovelier even than before the War, because made so doubly precious by our sacrifices, is this our England, where—

in the vales between
Grey hamlets, older than the trees that shade
Their ripening meadows, are in quiet laid,
Themselves a part of the warm, fruitful ground,
The little hills of England rise around;
The little streams that wander from them shine,
And with their names remembered names entwine
Of old renown and honour. . . .

ALMOST unbelievable, it is—but for the tragic Roll of Honour that hangs, all that there is of the gallant dead, in the porch of every little village church—that the greatest part in the greatest of all Wars has just been played, to a great and glorious close, by this so unchanged, unspoiled and peaceful little England.

"Roll of Honour that hangs . . . in the porch of every little village church"

THE roads one motors along are, perhaps, less well-kept than before the War, and half the great country houses are closed for want of servants to keep them going—"the village girls aren't any good, and it's *much* too dull for the London ones," the housekeeper of one beautiful historic old house told me. But, for the rest, they remain exactly as they were, all those gems that jewel the face of England . . .

RATHER interesting, I thought, to remember, as we passed the charming old red-brick houses, of which so delightfully many remain—especially round about London, and in the old ports which traded with the Dutch at the end of the seventeenth century—that these were built, not for the aristocracy, but for the squires and the prosperous merchants.

IN every line they suggest comfort, and yet they are adorably elegant—one can picture in them still men in wigs and ruffled shirts, and women in taffetas and patches, who bore large families and filled big tombstones in the local churches. Most of them were built, I believe, under the first two Georges. But, quite without foundation, most people call them "Queen Anne," and attribute them to Sir Christopher Wren. Their real period (pictured by Hogarth) is that of Walpole who, "rascal tho' he was," laid the foundations of England's commercial greatness.

BUT now about the London to Harrogate journey as aforesaid. Once outside London the first "country" touch comes at Barnet, where the fine square old Georgian houses of the merchant middle class of the eighteenth century still cluster cosily round the common, and we pass the first "big" house—North Mimms Park, a beautiful old Jacobean house, on which American dollars have done their damnedest.

AND next time we pause and look and wonder we are in Suffolk, suddenly facing, in the clear golden evening light of August, Lord Braybrooke's enchanting place, Audley End. Such a typical, adorable "stately home of England," with its adorable old red brick stables, its 1616 gates and its long-windowed front and sides—"more glass than walls," as Bess Hardwicke called it—that made it quite clear that there was no idea of fortifications.

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Flattery's Sincerest Form

"THE BEATTY TOUCH"

BY LOUIS RAEMAEKERS

"IN ENGLAND—NOW!" (concluded)

ACROSS into Norfolk, and soon in Swaffham, very old world, with the usual lovely church, and still older outside at Castleacre, with its peaceful Tales-of-King-Arthur air, lush green meads, and ruined Norman castle, that wasn't more than tolerated by our Jacobean and Georgian expert aforesaid, who said people liked Gothic remains "only because they were ruins," and took the chauffeur to see them as being just about suited to the chauffeuric intelligence.

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THROUGH charming wooded country—are there any roads in the world so delightful as our roads in England?—to the exquisite seat of the Townshends—Raynham Hall, where now reigneth (or would do, could the place be servanted) no Marquess Townshend descendant of the great Sir Thomas of that ilk, but a South African magnate who cometh of a race still older.

"Men in Wigs"

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RAYNHAM, an Inigo Jones of *the* finest water. A gem of architecture, as is, further on, outside Fakenham, that "gem of a ruin," as our archæologist friend called it, the delicious Tudor manor house of East Barsham, with the arms of Henry VII., over its red doors and gateways, and its chimneys and brick work and everything quite exceptionally lovely.

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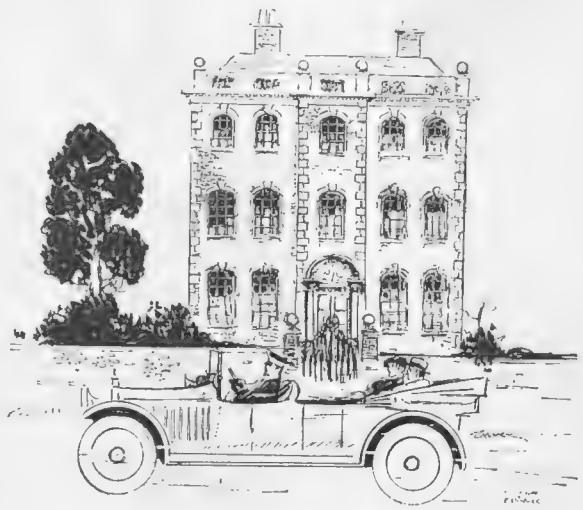
AND then the flat, rich country that Coke of Leicester reclaimed. This gentleman, I believe, mixed, not without skill, the pursuits of virtuoso and gentleman farmer, and once got locked up or something by the Pope, or someone, for taking too much bric-à-brac out of Italy. The flat, sandy coastlands of Norfolk, I confess, leave me very cold, and Brancaster and Hunstanton were whizzed through, "passing no remark," until we came to the heather and firs around the Sandringham coverts (*crawling* with birds) to Castle Rising and then to the refreshingest bit of all—the delicious, only-half-alive, picturesque, old-world and extraordinarily Dutch town of King's Lynn.



"Simple Old Georgian houses"

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YOU could imagine yourself in Dordrecht. The same restfulness; the same curious clear haze; the dark old houses in the market places as fine and important as the great merchants' houses in Amsterdam; and last, not least, the wonderful little Customs House, standing stiff and square and stately and tiny—"one of the finest things in England"—on the quay side.

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IF I haven't forgotten all my history, once upon a time—in Queen Anne's time—wasn't this now so somnolent old city "the Liverpool of England"? And weren't the merchants of King's Lynn those who, as the seventeenth century passed away, at last wrested from the greedy Dutch the trade of the world, and started out on that path of prosperity we now seem to be rather treading backwards?

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FROM the sublime to a something lesser state we felt, as we drank tea and ate our bread and marge in the anything-but-mediæval atmosphere of Woodhall Spa, and then went at a lick out of the fens and lowlands and crossed the Humber to Hull. And in the morning it was chillier. We were in Yorkshire, and driving through clearer, keener air to beautiful Beverley Minster, that dominates the landscape for miles, and stands a lovely grey sentinel over the charming old town, so full of quiet ghosts and simple old Georgian houses.

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LATER on, leaving Flamborough Head on our right, we now flit through Yorkshire to its capital, stopping only to gloat over Burton Agnes, than which I gathered there is "no finer alleged Elizabethan (really James I) house in all England." At York we *ought*, of course, to have "done" the Minster, but diverged into an antique shop instead—and when next you dine with me, dear heart, you shall drink out of the ducks of old goblet glasses and even eat off the dream of an old table I dreadfully immorally bought there. And now I am at Harrogate—where ruined insides rather than outsides, are the thing—and the tale of them, or it, shall be told next week.

With love, Yours ever,

BLANCHE

How Long Will the Candle-Stick It?

"MELTING!"

BY CAPTAIN BRUCE BAIRNSFATHER

"On With the Dance"

BY CROSBIE GARSTIN

WHEN I was a blithe and lissom lad, I was the Muse Terpsichore's own particular pet. You had only to scratch a fiddle, twang a harp, or let loose a sackbut within ear-shot of me, and I was off, "weaving thro' th' intricate mazes of th' dance like some ethereal spirit, mystic, wonderful," as the late Lord Tennyson remarked — or would have, had he thought of it.

The majestic minuet, the stately gavotte, the sprightly Sir Roger de Coverley, I excelled in them all. I could climb the greasy maypole upside down, or reduce a set of Lancers to shambles, single-handed. I was an acknowledged master. I picked my partners where I chose, and I chose only the fair ones.

Then, in the heyday of my success, a feeling arose in my family circle that our far-flung colonies weren't bearing their fair share of the burden, and I found myself headed for the farthest-flung of them with no prospect of getting back except by swimming. Time went by; 1914 duly arrived; all the best people seemed to be summering in France; embargoes were lifted and I trod my native soil again. One night a friend bade me to a ball. I dug out an old suit of gala apparel, practised a few Pavanne and gavotte steps before a mirror, and skipped light-heartedly forth to the revels.

The friend introduced me to a stalwart chestnut damsel, pronounced a blessing, and departed. I took firm hold of the girl and pushed off into mid-stream. It did not take me long to discover that we were not going to agree. Our movements didn't synchronise at all. We wrestled a sharp bout of catch-as-catch-can right round the ring; came a loud report as of rending material; my partner disappeared at a gallop into the First Field Dressing Station, and I was left alone in the middle of the arena with several yards of *crêpe de Chine* (I think that's what they call it) in my hands.

"What on earth were you doing to that girl?" my friend enquired—very annoyed, he appeared, too.

"Gavotting, of course," said I.

"Why?"

"Well, don't gavotte any more people in my house," said he. "Why don't you learn to tango, like everybody else? Good-night."

It was evident that I was two or three centuries behind the times, so I determined to get myself up-to-date forthwith. I sailed for France a couple of days later, but discovering a stripling who, in an unguarded moment (brought on by an overdose of *vin rouge*), boasted of a knowledge of the Tango in all its branches, I enlisted his help. After the first lesson (during which we broke a table, two chairs and permanently lamed a spectator), the lad's keenness evaporated, and he fled from me into hospital once or twice, but I laid him by the scruff each time he bobbed out, and by the day leave came along I was Tango-perfect. But when I arrived in England I found nobody tangoed any more.

One frigid beauty, to whom I was introduced, admitted she had heard her grandam mumble of it, and she believed, in certain seasons of the year, the rustics in the backwoods of Wales still practised it, along with other ritual, round the Barley Mow, but as for herself, she did the One-Step or nothing. I took the hint. We sat out that dance and nary a word spoke she to me all through. I have spent cheerier times in a refrigerator. I got one or two canters with antiques, who, seeing in me their last sole chance of a warm-up, confessed to a hazy recollection of the waltz, but the fair ones all turned their pretty backs on me, and I spent most of the night drinking

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THE REALLY BURNING QUESTION!

SHE: "You cad! Can it be true that you made a bet at your club that if you proposed to me I would accept you?"

HE: "Well, I've proposed. Will you?"

SHE: "How much did you bet?"

Out for Otter on the Teign

TAKING A REST AND (inset) TRYING A LIKELY SPOT

THE MASTER LEADING HIS DOGS DOWN STREAM

With the sudden change in the weather the popularity of the seashore diminished. A fine, bracing day for many hundreds of city folk was, however, provided by a hunt with the S. Brent Otter Hounds

"ON WITH THE DANCE" (*concluded*)

and brooding in the back premises.

I returned to France, took a correspondence course in one-stepping and practised assiduously up and down the horse-lines, holding a treatise in one hand, working a mouth-organ with the other. I drew a little shell-fire from time to time, but only a padre got damaged, and, by the time leave rolled round again, I had mastered the motions.

But when I took my perfect one-step home to Blighty they (the blighters) were fox-trotting, and I was thwarted once more.

It was plain that I never should be able to keep pace with the fashion, so I abandoned the unequal struggle and, when on leave, took up crocheting and jig-saws of an evening. The other day, owing to some oversight of the War Office, I was demobilised. I immediately betook myself to a much-advertised school of dancing, and demanded to be taught all the latest leg-motions.

A girl with a hogged mane and docked skirts led me into the middle of a large room in which numerous other earnest strivers were having their hock action tested, and, at some length, explained the theory of the thing to me. "Do you quite follow me?" she enquired.

"Perfectly," said I, jotting down some memoranda on my cuff. "Kick off with the right foot forward. Follow smartly to the left. Slither leftwards twice with both feet—how many feet have we used now, by the way? Oh, yes, I remember—hesitate on the fourth foot. Repeat the manœuvre backwards. Subtract the number you first thought of and *chassez* the remainder. Yes, I think I've got enough to be going on with. Shall we start?" We started.

"Don't lose count, whatever you do," said she—"three, four, now hesitate!" I hesitated. "Come on," said she. "Don't pose there indefinitely on one leg waving the other about. Thinking, were you? Well, think quicker—glide!—You are polkaing, stop it, *chassez*. Do you think you could manage to kick me rather more gently? It would be such a help. Thanks, so sweet of you! —Dip!—Don't stop to read your cuffs, please—Two-step!—You are waltzing now. Dear me, how archaic you are! Used to do it with the Druids round Stonehenge, I suppose.—Hesitate! —Don't count out loud down my back, please, it tickles. *Chassez!* You are polkaing again. Do try to resist it—Dip! Suffering somewhere?—Two-Step! You'd get on better, I think, if you'd dance on your own feet. Hesitate!—Don't prop yourself up against me like that, you must learn to support yourself—Glide! Do leave your cuffs alone—Two-step! Stand up, stand up! The back-somersault is not being done this season—Dip!—Steady! Steady! What on earth—O-och!"

DELUSIONS DISPELLED

Sentimental Youth: "Do you know, darling, I used to kiss the very stamps on the letters you sent me, because I knew they had touched your sweet lips!"

Un-Sentimental Maid: "Oh! Jack, and I used to damp them on dear old Fido's nose!"

I struggled from under the heap and got out of that place as quickly as possible. Nor did I return. My light fantastic days were over, I decided; for me the back premises in future and quiet games of shove-ha'penny with the non-combatants. A week later, I squired my young sister to a dance intending to spend a tranquil evening in the refreshment-room. But 'twas not to be. The strains of the orchestra, playing highly explosive nigger minstrelsy, lured me to the ball-room door. Rapt, interwoven couples trotted past. Lights shone upon bold women and fair men. The band broke into drum fire. My blood leapt. My heart throbbed, my toes tingled. "Damme!" said I, "I *will* dance!"

I spied a girl I knew slightly, sprang upon her and, in spite of her piteous appeals, dragged her into the thick of it. I didn't stop to count four, to hesitate or subtract the number I first thought of, not I. I propelled that protesting woman up and down the floor as hard as I could go, lashing out left, right, and both feet together. All eyes were upon us, bulging with amaze. Panic stricken couples rushed to the touch lines and tried to climb up the wall-paper. I did not care. They had bottled me up for years, and now the cork was out. Whoopee! Three mad laps we did in record time, and then my old football knee collapsed.

I didn't quite know what happened. I suddenly saw the ceiling where the floor should have been and I was squirming in mid-air; then with a twist and a wriggle I miraculously recovered. As far as I can understand, I must have gone down on one side of the girl, turned turtle, and come up on the other. "Good heavens!" she panted. "What in the name of fortune do you call that?" I grasped my chance. "Why the 'Flamingo Flounder,' of course," said I. "Say, you don't mean to tell me you don't know it? Why it's the vurry latest from Noo Yark. Haven't learnt the Flamingo over here yet? Say, you folk are too slow to catch a cold."

From that moment my success was assured. When I step upon a floor people nod their heads towards me and whisper "That's *the* Mr. So-and-so, you know. He's simply too twee for words; does all the very latest things," and once more I pick where I choose, and choose only the fair ones.

The Bystander in Paris

"BAS DE SOIE." *Illustrated by* MARCEL PONCIN

MES AMIS—

WHEN it comes winter and there is not any coal—and everyone says that there will not be any coal—how we will think that it has been lovely in August when it has been so hot. But now it is difficult to be so much a philosopher. One is exhausted already with to do nothing except to sit in a dark room with a robe—it is well, perhaps, that one should not entirely designate the robe.

"The people have thrown the meat of the butcher at him"

AND there is another place that one is cool. It is in the church. One has, perhaps, the affairs in town and the boulevards are hot like a fire of anthracite. "*Tiens*," one says, "how it is hot. Shall we refresh ourselves to take an ice of the Café Napolitain or to hear the Angelus at La Madeleine?" It is on the days when one thinks how it is very dear to pay 2 frs. 50 for the *tutti frutti* of the Napolitain that one is quite convinced how it will be the coolest to go to church.

IT is always of the two things that we make now our conversation—of the heat and of the *vie chère*. We say how it has never been more hot—every year in August we say the same and we say that the *vie chère* must be made better. But the prices mount all the more although we talk so much.

THERE are some days when it is more lively to talk of the *vie chère*. It is when our Léonie will tell us how when she has gone to make her marketing the people have thrown the meat of the butcher at him till he was all red, because he has tried to sell the *frigo* for fresh meat, or they have overturned the barrow of the merchant of *artichauts*.

BUT it is my idea that this French people is very hypocritical, because, if one goes to the *tailleur* to order a skirt of the Scotch plaid, he says how he regrets that it will be 250 francs, like £10 of your money, and makes a complaint how the life is dear, just so much as if it was he who should pay, though one is certain that he goes to make a fortune. And Didi, who has gone to the coast of Brittany for *les vacances*, has written how, down there, are all the people the most impossible in the expensive hotels.

"*Ma chère*," she has written, "they demand 16 francs a day in the hotel where we find ourselves, and all the world who is here is the families of *les marchands de quatre saisons* and the *mercantis* of the Faubourg St. Antoine. It is two times so dear as when the nice families have come, and one wonders now where they are gone. But the *monde* of after the War—oh, la la! It has the habit to drink the soup in the plate.

"THERE is one girl who is come with her father and mother in an auto, enormous like a *camion*, who has every day

". . . . and look how I have la peau plus jolie que la soie"

bathed in a costume of a different colour, and grumbles all the day because we are not here at Deauville, where she can show her dresses. *Tiens*, I have wished to bathe in the costume of Eve to give to her the lesson how everyone should make the economy in this time, and live the simple life."

BUT it is all what we can do to wear the costume of Eve, without to make scandal, to walk in the Bois without the stockings. In the newspapers there have been the journalists who

". . . . it is well, perhaps, that one should not entirely designate the robe"

have written how the ladies are very brave who so make their campaign against the dearness of the *bas de soie*. But it is my idea that this fashion of Polaire does not go to remain very long—and in the winter no—certainly not. And shall I tell you the reason? It is of importance, and perhaps there will be some who will profit.

IT was Jacqueleine who has had the chance to be the first to succeed with her plan. Sometimes it is that her husband reproaches to her to spend so much for her clothes. "*Voyons*, Henri," she has said one day when they have been prepared to go together to visit their friends. "I go to make the economies, and at the same time to be in the first of the fashion. No more stockings of silk at forty francs the pair. It is an economy of 240 francs the month. And look how I have *la peau plus jolie que la soie*."

THEN she has shown how she has not had any stockings. But the poor Henri, he is a man *très bon bourgeois* in the ideas. "But, my treasure," he has said, "you do not go to walk in the street like that. Every one will think how you are an actress of the Scala or the Gaîté Rochechouart."

"Every day bathed in a costume of a different colour"

"OH, but yes, certainly I go." she has said. "It is of everyone the duty to make a protest *contre la vie chère* and, *voilà*, how I will do it. In the journal of M. Clemenceau one writes that the women who refuse to themselves the stockings are the true heroines of France. And, *surtout*, it is the mode."

THEN, to show how she was determined, she has gone out quite alone, *avec les jambes nues*, and has come to tell us of her adventure. "But, my dears," she has said, "never, never again will I dare. I have blushed—yes, truly—I have blushed in the legs."

IT has been only half an hour after she has gone that the telephone has rung. "*Allo, allo*," I said, "*j'écoute*." It was the voice of Jacqueleine. "Oh, *chérie, mon* Henri has bought me twenty pairs of silk stockings—the loveliest of the world. *C'est un ange, mon mari*. I think that the mode not to wear stockings is so silly." Lucile and I have discussed how sometimes it must be of a profit to have a husband.

Your friend,

AGNÈS

THE PREMIER'S WIFE ON HOLIDAY

A group taken on the sands at Deauville, showing Sir Hamar Greenwood, Lady Greenwood, Mrs. Lloyd George, Sir George Riddell and Miss Shepherd

"Patent Applied For"

A NEW ADJUSTMENT FOR GOLF BALLS FOR DISCLOSING THEIR WHEREABOUTS

BY HEATH ROBINSON

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SKETCHES BY MISS R. LE QUESNE

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"THE VERY IDEA"

ST MARTINS THEATRE

By "JINGLE." Illustrated by HARRIS

THIS is the much-talked-of play about Eugenics. The management say in their announcements that if you are over twenty-one you can go and laugh a good deal at their amusing entertainment; and, being thus warned in time, we had to wait till young Harris was twenty-one before we could get out a notice of the production. The subject is a nice thorny one. On the face of it, the principle that the same extreme care should be taken with the breeding of human beings as with the breeding of horses and dogs, would seem to be universally acceptable; but there is, I know, a fine fighting argument on the other side sufficient to enable any heated debate on the question to end up with wild personalities and a free fight or so. I do not, therefore, propose to let the controversy have even standing room here. It will be enough if the claim be made that, Eugenics or no, it is certainly the desire of every well-ordered person that babies should be born and bred under the best and most hygienic conditions.

MR. AND MRS. GOODHUE are a married couple who, while doting on children, are themselves childless. They have a friend, Mr. Alan Camp, who has written a work on Eugenics, and he suggests to them that they should become parents by proxy. He will, on the Eugenic system, produce a child for them to call their own, and they are to leave the management of the enterprise entirely to him. The simple freedom of the language here I have borrowed from the author, Mr. William Le Baron, whose style is directness itself. Mr. Alan Camp has a chauffeur of the name of Joe Garvin, who not only attends to his master's car but also has boxing bouts with him in his spare time, and proves himself to be an adept at this and all other manly sports. He is, in fact, an all-round athlete, and is thus eminently fitted to be the father

of any child where physical excellence is the main desideratum. (No account seems to be taken of his mental development, though I suppose Eugenists do bestow a little attention on this department). And as Joe Garvin is already affianced to a sturdy serving maid, the principals are, as it were, already in the ring.

THE young woman's name is Nora Tracy. She is to receive two thousand dollars for any inconvenience to which she may be put in the matter, and Joe Garvin is to receive one thousand dollars for his share in the enterprise. I notice, by the way, that the currency used in this play, like so many others in these days, is American. The good old British sovereign has depreciated an awful lot we know, but it ought still to be worth mentioning in a London production. Also, if some of our very modern dramatists, who appear to think that nothing can happen outside little old Noo York, will take the trouble to glance at the map they will observe that London stands where it did, and is not for the moment proposing to give place to any other city on the earth, thank you.

A GOOD many parts of this play seem to have strayed from the smoking-room, where they rightly belong. Some of the very direct dialogue is a little startling to puritanical people like myself. The management of the theatre, with great consideration, gave me a seat in the front row of the stalls, and, like the usual prisoner in the dock, there were moments when I felt my position keenly, especially when Mr. Camp began explaining to his chauffeur the little details incidental to the successful development of his idea. And then there were embarrassing moments when the chauffeur, having expressed his willingness to embark on the Eugenic enterprise, began to put the question to Nora, explaining to her what a great pioneer in the new world of thought she would become if she would agree to bring a healthy child into the world in the interests of science. As the couple are engaged one would have thought that it would have been an easy matter to have encouraged them to marry beforehand; but the orthodox will be distressed to hear that this is no part of the scheme. Perhaps that is one of the tenets of Eugenic science, as I believe it is held by some authorities that illegitimate children are more robust physically than those born in wedlock; and a medical man of some distinction once told me that, by the wrong-headedness of natural laws, an unmarried mother makes far

and away the best kind of wet-nurse.

Sometimes I wish I had not yielded to the Editor's blandishments and agreed to write about this play. One is always liable in these cases to convey the disastrous impression that one is acquainted with matters that one ought not to know; and, though I am guilelessness itself in this form of worldly wisdom, I naturally don't want to give myself away. After all, one of the first principles of Eugenics must be the creation of the healthy mind in the healthy body, and I am not sure that this play does much to encourage that most desirable combination. As it happens, Joe and Norah very sensibly agree to get married as soon as they have made their compact, so that the bark of the play is really worse than its bite. A good deal is made of the fact that, as the Goodhues are expecting a baby, even by proxy, it will be discreet for Mrs. Goodhue to be hidden away from the prying eyes of her lady friends, and the husband and wife therefore start for the Bermudas, so that when they come back with their baby it will surprise no one that they have managed to keep their secret so well.

Of course, an English playwright is hopelessly handicapped by our conventions in treating a subject of this kind, and, if he should dare to be witty on such a theme, his wit would be blue-pencilled out by the authorities as being improper. They order these things better in France, where such a theme would be framed in wit and epigram of the best and probably most improper kind. It would then have been distinctly amusing to myself at least. As it is, Mr. Ewart, who represents Alan Camp, is obliged to develop his scheme in sober seriousness, and is restrained by the British unities from making a single jest on the subject in question. The only humour is that perceived by the general public in commonplace explanations on a subject which is not usually discussed in public, and which, in a sober-minded and really scientific assembly, would be regarded as far too solemn for mirth.

Most of the comedians, therefore, were compelled to introduce by-play of their own, not necessarily related to the thesis under discussion. Mr. Easton Pickering, as Mr. Goodhue, seemed to me to take a rather pessimistic view of the average human intelligence. Still, being barred by the conventions from making cogent jokes, he had to spatchcock into his part anything that would raise a laugh. And he certainly raised a good many. I do not know that there is any more to be said, but I am going on to the club presently, and if anything else occurs to me there, I shall at least be able to talk about it in the atmosphere that would seem to suit it best.

JINGLE.

"THE LADIES OF THE BARGE"

These young people are said to be "rehearsing" for the forthcoming "Baby Bunting" production, which is to be pu on at the Shaftesbury in the near future, and if "Baby Bunting" contains a scene like this one, its success is evidently assured! But from carefully sifted "external evidence," so to speak, we have come to the conclusion that this is in the nature of an *entr'acte*

Stars That Will Shine In Forthcoming Autumn Plays

MISS IRIS HOEY, who plays the leading part in Arnold Bennett's "Sacred and Profane Love" to be produced shortly in Liverpool

MISS VIOLET BLYTHE, who has a principal part in "Who's Hooper" produced this week at the Adelphi Theatre

MISS RUBY MILLER, who will take a prominent part in "The Great Day" the Drury Lane Autumn Drama

MISS PEPITA BOBADILLA, who will be in the new Comedy "Daddies" produced at the Haymarket Theatre this week.

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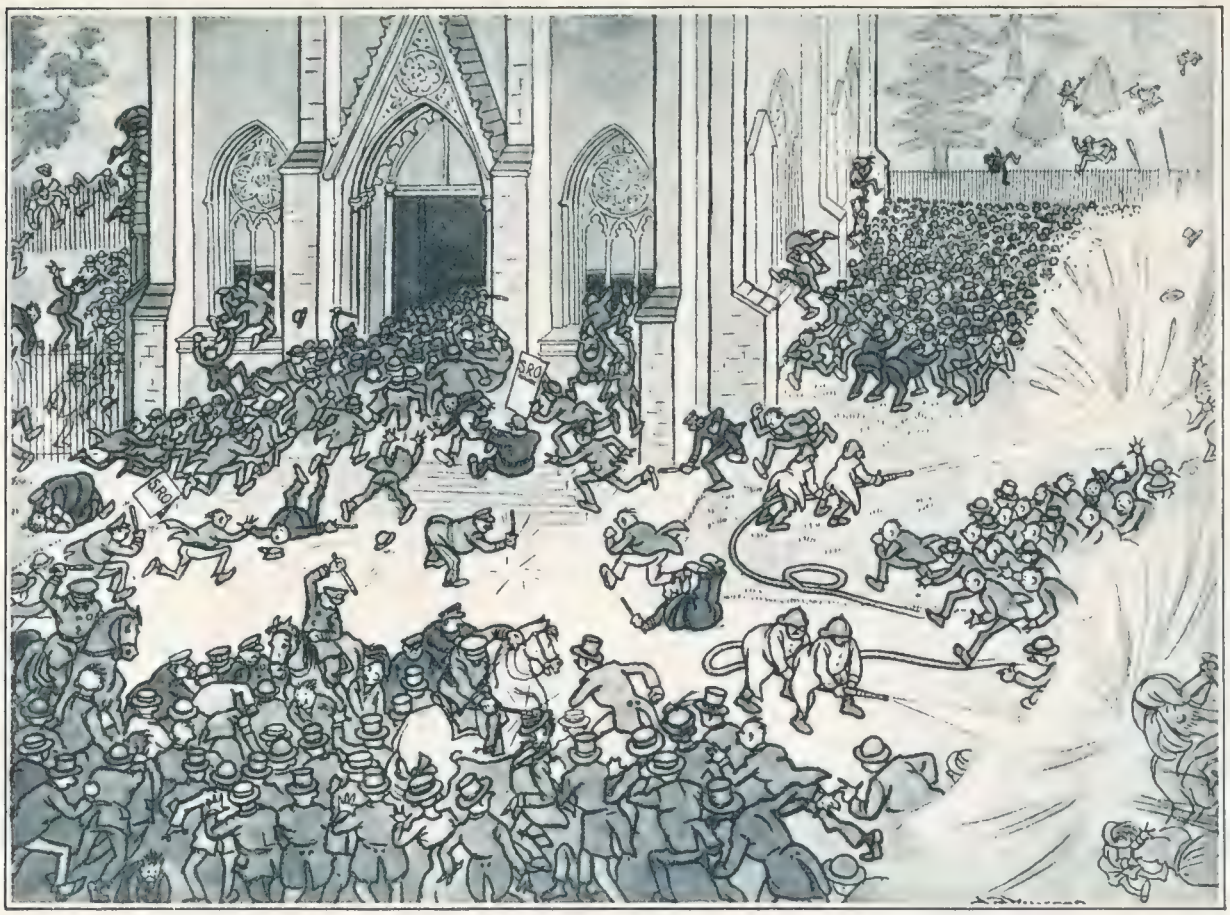
If it were wrong to go to church on Sunday!



SCENE OUTSIDE ALMOST ANY PLACE OF WORSHIP

"Put It Down in the Bill"

BY HARFORD WORLOCK

"I'm just going round the shops," said Patricia, "feel like coming?"

"That little pig went to market; this little pig stayed at home," I answered.

"Talking of pigs reminds me," Patricia chipped in; "do you think, if you approached him tactfully, the landlord might put a wing on to the larder?"

"Talking of pigs—and wings," I observed, "they *might* fly. But it's as much as you can do to put a wing *into* the larder, with poultry the price it is. What's the idea?"

"Well," said Patricia, "I must have some sort of storeroom this autumn."

"You'll never need it," I said; "we're going to have coupons again."

"Yes, and I've got a *coup* on!"—Patricia thinks that sort of thing funny. However, she went on:

"You see, I've thought of a plan for storing up quite a lot of things."

"Is Saul also among the profiteers?" I observed.

"That's just what I'm *not!*" remarked Patricia warmly. "My scheme helps to put down profiteers."

"How?"

"Why, under this new Act you can report anybody who overcharges you, so I'm going to buy something at every shop in the place and report all the bad cases."

"A sort of common informer, in fact," I remarked.

"Yes, if you like," admitted Patricia, "it's really rather a public-spirited thing to do, and, of course, at the same time it does give one a chance to put a few things by."

"I presume," I said, "that the profiteer will be made to refund the overcharge?"

"The provisions of the bill . . ." she began.

"Yes, but I'm talking about your bill for provisions," I interrupted, "will you get the extra profits back? Remember, a profiteer is without honour, and so on."

"Well," said Patricia, "I suppose not directly."

"No one ever gets money back directly," I observed.

"I mean," she went on, "that prices will come down all round,"

"Then, dear," I suggested, "wouldn't it be wiser to buy our fall goods when they fall?"

"But," objected Patricia, "how are the profiteers to be brought to book?"

"It's quite simple!" I replied, "they're to be put down in the bill!"

"The Freedom of the Seas"

A MODERN INTERPRETATION

BY C. E. BERNARD

BYSTANDER SHORT STORY

"Rien du Tout"

By CAPTAIN A. B. HARROWER

UNDER a blazing noonday sun M. André Lemaître strolled along the *plage*, threading a slow and somewhat tortuous path among the crowd. A crowd, yes; but, mark you, no suggestion of *hoi polloi* about this one. A crowd, if you will, but a well-dressed crowd, a crowd of filmy gossamer frocks, of fair complexions that seemed well able to defy the sun (maybe, in cases, not without extraneous, but strictly esoteric, assistance), of creamy throats and satin bosoms and slender ankles, of tall, straight limbs well set-off in white flannel, wonderfully creased, of bronzed faces and sleek shining hair, of snow-white soft collars and radiant blue bow-ties. In a word, this was Deauville in August, 1919, and M. Lemaître walked upon the wooden *pavé* that protects the delicate shoes of Deauville's visitors from Deauville's soft and sandy foreshore.

M. Lemaître, too, was clad in strict accord with such an environment. His close-cropped hair was grey at the sides, and shone like silver against his red-brown nape where the sun caught it beneath his Panama. A little iron-grey imperial still adorned his chin, despite the growing tendency among his younger compatriots towards a more English treatment of the beard—by razing it. Altogether, M. Lemaître presented a strikingly smart appearance among a collection of folk who, at this season of the year and in this place, make a mighty point of appearing such. Wherefore many a soft wandering glance rested upon him with interest, and one shapely throat took occasion to present a delicate profile to those immediately in front of it as he passed.

M. Lemaître caught its owner's eye, held it with his own for an instant, and then so far forgot himself as to smile. He was, however, rewarded for his forgetfulness, for the owner of the shapely throat replied in kind. But M. Lemaître went serenely on, humming gently as he walked. Since his rise to fame and fortune during the War from—well, perhaps it had better be left to his own words, *de rien, rien du tout*—he had become a connoisseur of the art of comfort, and that morning monsieur was feeling exceedingly comfortable. He had taken a late *café complet* in his room, had smoked a cigar, had bathed—a glorious, leisurely bath in a warm blue sea—and was now turning to the right between the rows of tennis courts, away from the long lines of bathing-huts and promenaders, towards the Normandie, where *déjeuner* was without doubt already beginning—and he had a great appetite.

M. Lemaître wanted his *déjeuner*, but more than that, if such a thing be possible for a man of his habit of body, he wanted a cocktail. So when he arrived in the hotel lounge, by way of the shady seaward entrance, he made straight for the American bar, and there, seated upon one of the tall stools imbibing an iced martini cérise through a straw, whom should he see but Jules Margeaux.

Now M. Lemaître had many acquaintances since his new-found affluence had come to him, but Jules was a friend of the days of "*rien, rien du tout*," and was greeted accordingly. The two friends kissed upon both cheeks, and two American officers all but dropped their "whiskeys sour." They had seen this sort of thing before, but seldom performed with such gusto.

"Jules!" said M. Lemaître.

"André!" said M. Margeaux.

"Frankly, I did not expect to find you here," said the former.

"Nor I you," said the latter. "But how do you find yourself? Things are going well with you after all these years, are they not? I have heard of your fame and how you have made your fortune with *les contrats*." M. Lemaître shrugged his shoulders in deprecation. "My luck has turned," said he at last, "but sometimes I look back with regret for the good times we used to have together in the old days. But how of yourself?"

"My luck is just as it used to be," said Jules,

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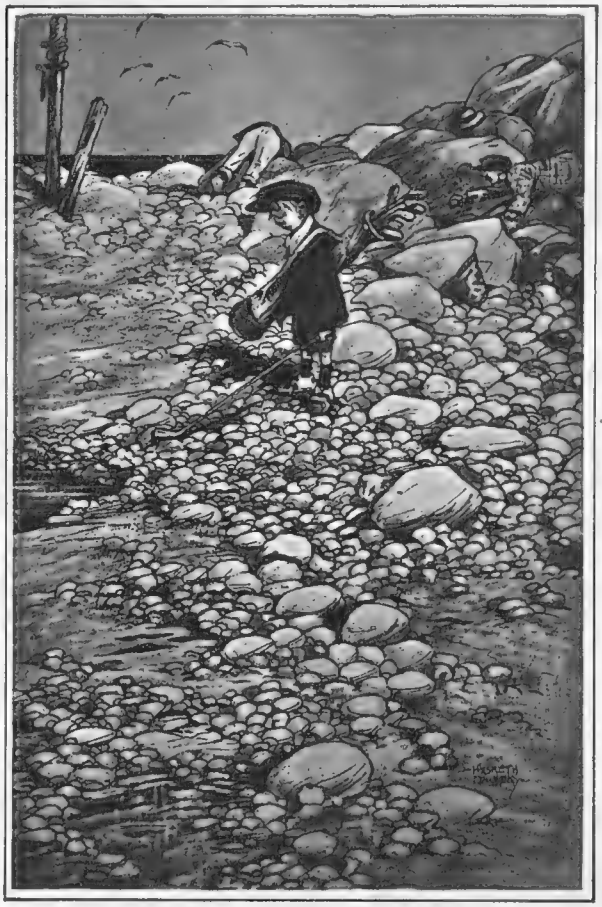

A HOPELESS MORN

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"For those who like this sort of thing, This is the sort of thing they'll like!"

THE "AEROCAMP" AT EVENTIDE
The picture shows how a hammock can be slung under the wings of the 'plane. Such a brainy idea, isn't it?

AFTER WASHING-UP DISHES
The cloth can be hung out to dry on the propeller. What wonderfully convenient machines aeroplanes are, to be sure!

THE COOK PREPARES BREAKFAST (IN CORNWALL) AND (inset) THE AEROCAMPERS OFF TO LUNCH (IN YORKSHIRE)
"Aerocamping" is described as the "latest holiday stunt." You take an aeroplane, some blankets, pots and pans, "butter and milk and a pound of cheese," pack 'em all up, and off you go—anywhere. It's a trifle expensive, of course, runs you into a few pounds a day for petrol if you go any distance

also shrugging, "sometimes in, sometimes out. At the moment it is in. Take another martini and we will drink to it." M. Lemaître complied. Over his glass M. Margeaux said gently, "I am here on a small matter of business," and M. Lemaître winked interrogatively. The other winked back—in the affirmative.

Déjeuner over, the two sallied forth, followed by an attentive waiter, on to the lovely tree-bordered lawn that clothes the courtyard on the western side of the hotel, and, sitting down at a small table near the entrance gate, ordered coffee and liqueurs. M. Lemaître produced cigars, and lit his from M. Margeaux's match (a small point, but important), and for a time the two smoked in silence, basking in the sun. The mingled perfume of many choice scents filled the air with an indefinable, delicately seductive aroma. The strains of an orchestra floated over to them through the open windows. The cigars were good. Everything conduced to slumber. And then the purring sound of a high-powered car and the slight squeak of an applied brake disturbed their calm. Through the gate there came a pleasing bevy of girls

M. Lemaître was too sleepy to give them but a hasty glance, but M. Margeaux started slightly, looked round, and watched them as they disappeared into the hotel. A moment or two afterwards he made an excuse, got up, and apparently followed them. "Aha!" thought his friend languidly, "wonder what his game is this time?" And then relapsed once more into a pleasant condition of semi-coma.

He must have really fallen asleep this time—for he came to full consciousness with a considerable start, found his cigar had gone out—and a young girl shaking his arm and calling "Monsieur! monsieur!" M. Lemaître blinked. Then he recognised the intruder as his charmer of the *plage* earlier in the day. He hastened to get upon his feet and to bow, but the girl stamped her foot and cried, "My car! Where is it?" M. Lemaître was not very acute that afternoon, and said so. "But your friend who was sitting with you but five minutes ago, he has gone off in it. I saw him myself. Oh, what shall I tell my father?"

M. Lemaître found himself the centre of a group of young women—the very four, indeed, who had so attracted the attention of Jules Margeaux—apparently not without cause. Everyone on the lawn was now beginning to take interest, and crowding round with suggestions. Someone went out for a gendarme. M. Lemaître considered. The car was certainly gone—and so was Jules Margeaux. He knew Jules. That car would be unrecognisable in less than two hours. Ah, well, it must be done—quickly. He sighed and said to the girl, who was very near to tears, "Mademoiselle, will you sell me your car?" "But it has been stolen—and I'm sure my father would not wish to sell it, in any case. Can't you do something instead of standing there like a great goose asking me to sell you a lost car?" M. Lemaître took from his pocket a roll of notes. "How much did your father pay for the car?" he asked. "Twenty thousand, I believe," said the girl, carried away by Lemaître's quiet insistence. "*Bien*—here are twenty-five thousand francs," was the reply, "in notes of one thousand. I need no receipt. Tell your father I, Lemaître, have bought his car. Tell him from me that I think he ought to reward so charming a saleswoman. May I suggest that a blue frock would suit you admirably?" M. Lemaître bowed, took up his hat, and strode away through the gates *en route* to watch the tennis, leaving behind him an excited throng surrounding the astounded girl. Had one been able to translate his thoughts into words as he strolled humming gently to himself along the esplanade, they might have run like this: "Poor Jules! What a pity for a man with so much talent. But he is a careless fellow, is Jules, or he would know better than to carry his notes in his breast-pocket and allow so very, very old a friend to light a cigar across his waistcoat. But I must return him his odd fifteen thousand. After all, it was only a joke in the first place, just to remind him of the old days when I also was—*rien, rien du tout!*"

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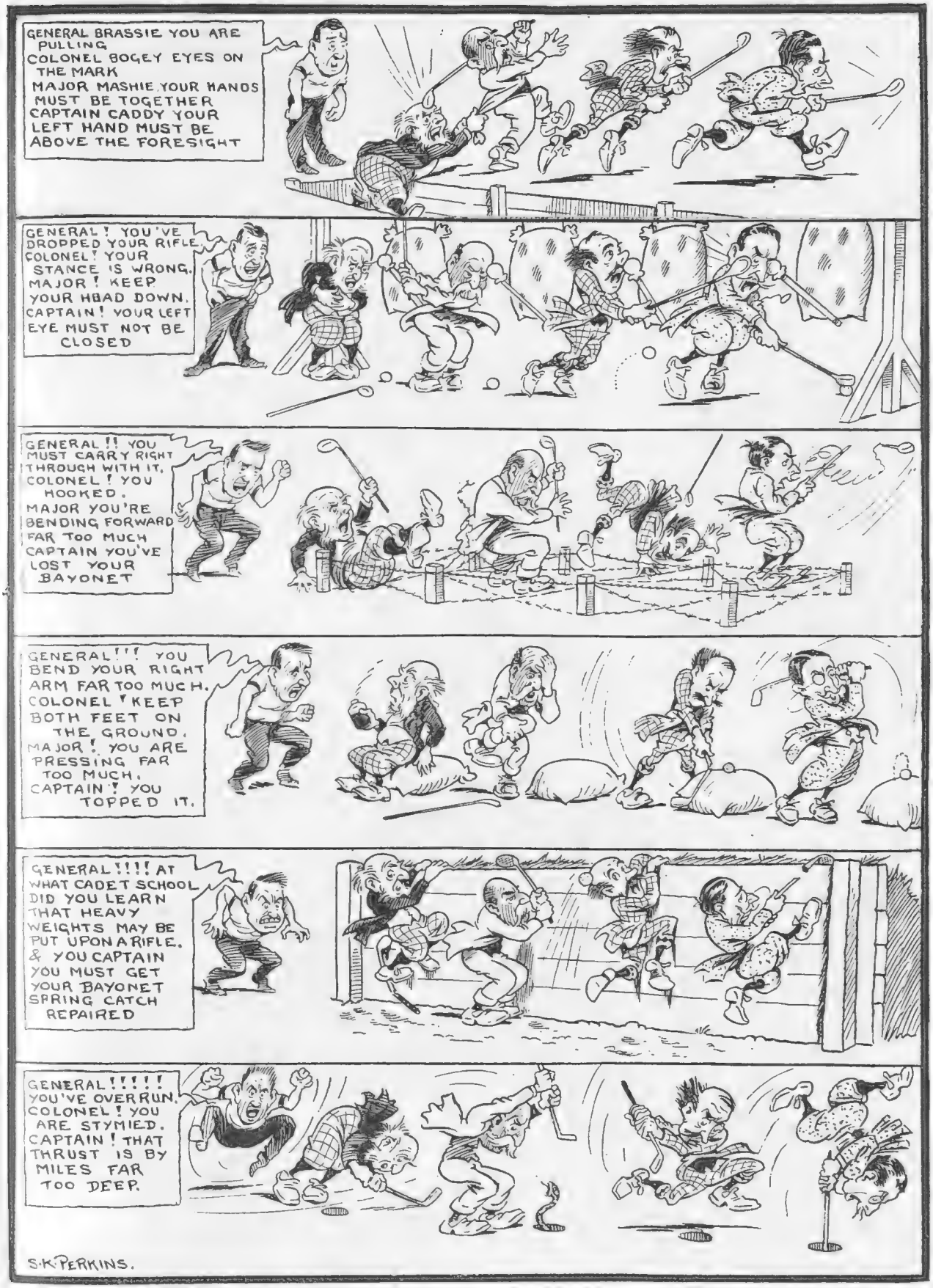

—Resumes Work as a Golf Professional, and Dreams a Dream!

BY S. K. PERKINS

Metamorphosis

By A. A. THOMSON

YOUNG Boanerges Bilston-Bapp
Aspired to be a scribbling chap;
To emulate such gilded swells
As Shakespeare, Shaw—not Swears—and Wells;
To rest on dim Olympian heights
With Tupper, Tennyson, and Trites.
So, peeling off his velvet coat,
He wrote and wrote and wrote and wrote,
Wooing, with energy terrific,
A muse uncannily prolific.
He sang sweet songs of Pain and Passion
In blandest Ella-Wheeler fashion,
And delved deep down in crimson crime
After the style of Oppenheim.
His chatty "pars" were wide in scope—
From "Starlight Nights" to "Sunlight Soap"
"Do Peacocks peck Potato-Peelings?"
"Have Goldfish got religious feelings?"
He poured forth odes, as neat as Herrick's,
And artless tales, like Leonard Merrick's,
Hoping some happy day to see 'em
In *Answers* or *The Athenæum*.
The way of all these priceless pets
Was paved—alas!—with vain "Regrets";
Of all the gold his bright brain minted
Nary a line was ever printed,
And so our scribe full oft was seen
Dining off crusts and one sardine;
And many garments Mr. B.
Entrusted to The Sign of Three.
This happened just a year ago.
Last week I walked abroad, and lo!—
Where Fleet Street into Aldwych merges
I chanced upon my Boanerges.
But what a change was there, *perdie!*
In summer suiting, *cap-à-pie*,
He prinked it, suave and silken-hatted,
Vermilion-tied and snowy-spatted;
His vest more glowing hues revealed
Than lilies of the (Ladies') Field.
"What means," I asked, "this garb chromatic?
Why aren't you starving in an attic?"
"Laddie," quoth he, "I'll tellya why"—
And here he winked his dexter eye—
"Time was when I, poor feckless ninny,
Strove hard to gain one grudging guinea,
But now I'll seldom fail to clear
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A New Literary Log Rolled by Ralph Straus

OF *The Revolt of Youth* (Laurie: 6*s.* net.), a first novel by Mrs. Coralie Hobson, it is not, unfortunately, possible to speak with any enthusiasm. It is the rather unpleasant story of a girl forced to earn her own living. She chooses the stage, is not successful, amuses herself on the fringe of one or two love affairs, and finally marries a doctor-cousin. There is nothing new or particularly interesting in the story, and I think Mrs. Hobson has mistaken her vocation.

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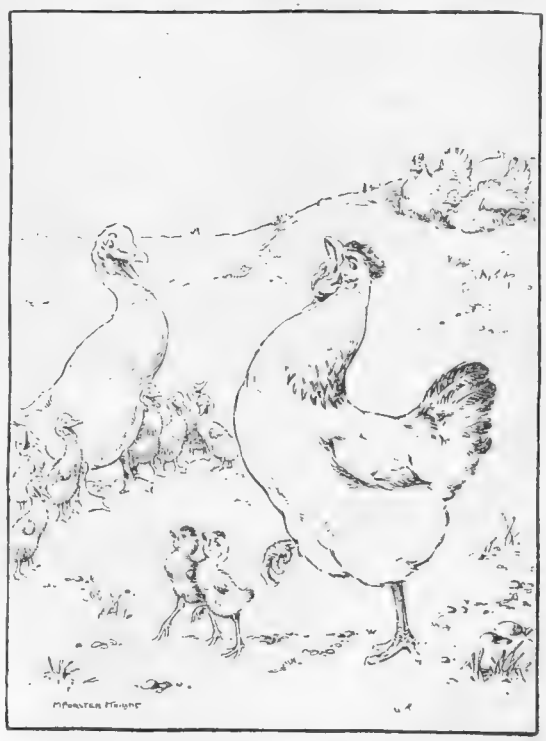
MRS. HUMPHREY WARD'S *Fields of Victory* (Hutchinson: 7*s.* 6*d.* net.) is one of the many half-personal, half-historical war books which are sure to be published in great quantities now or in the near future. It is written primarily for Americans and may have more interest for them than for Englishmen. There is really very little in it that is new—beyond a few vignettes of French Generals. A far more interesting book is Lieut.-Gen. Sir John Keir's *A "Soldier's Eye-View" of Our Armies* (Murray: 6*s.* net.) wherein all the anomalies of our pre-war army are good-naturedly set forth and plans drawn out in considerable detail for our national army of the future.



QUALITY—AND QUANTITY

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As we have discovered, a national army does not do its work like the old professional forces, and whatever be the size and composition of our new permanent troops, very large changes will have to be made. General Keir writes of such things as dress, promotion from the ranks, cavalry, and the Imperial contingents, and produces a constructive book of great value which will be of interest to even the most un-military layman.

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IN the war some of us did very odd things. Mr. Keble Howard nobly attempted to do his duty. For some extraordinary reason the Authorities took every possible step to dissuade him. But Mr. Howard was made of stern stuff. He would not be put off. Being a novelist, he naturally began as a chauffeur. Being a journalist, however, he naturally drifted into the R.N.A.S., helping to save London in the process. Becoming bolder and also apparently more youthful, he finally cheeked the Authorities into giving him a commission in the Royal Air Force. And then somebody made the startling discovery that he could write! So they put him in the Propaganda department, which, of course, was his properest place. All of which you may read about in Mr. Howard's own *An Author in Wonderland* (Chatto and Windus: 10*s.* 6*d.* net), with considerable enjoyment.

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THE number of unpleasant people in Kate Horn's novel, *Handley's Corner* (Stanley Paul: 6*s.* net), is rather extraordinary. Neither Molly Brierley nor her mother is particularly "nice," and the two soldiers in love with her do not altogether fulfil the conditions for the conventional hero of a conventional book of this kind. There is a great deal of malicious gossip, and you never become more than faintly enthusiastic at anything which happens in this commonplace story.

The September "Book Monthly."

As all the world knows, Joseph Conrad has "arrived." By birth he is a Pole, and it is said of him that when he came to write it was at first a "toss-up" whether he wrote in English or French. Of both languages he is a master. Fortunately for us he chose English. In the current issue of the *Book Monthly*, that discerning critic, Mr. D. S. Meldrum, has written an article full of appreciative insight upon Joseph Conrad's latest book, *The Arrow of Gold*, and his place in English literature; and the frontispiece to this issue is a very fine new portrait of the novelist. Miss Winifred James—also, by the way, Polish by birth—contributes a most interesting article, entitled "My Pilgrimage," which describes some of her early efforts to induce the world of editors and publishers to recognise her merits as a writer. Mr. J. M. Bulloch provides some excellent light verse about the Prince of Wales, and the number contains, besides, all those excellent regular features which, every month, make the *Book Monthly* so popular a journal among all lovers of English literature.

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GAMES AND PASTIMES

LAWN TENNIS

A Great Player

Mr. Hugh Laurence Doherty, whose death, at the early age of forty-three, took place at Broadstairs, on August 21, was the younger of the two famous brothers of that name, to whom lawn tennis owes much of its present-day popularity. The elder brother, "R. F.," was champion from 1897 to 1900, inclusive, and the younger from 1902 to 1907,

COL. A. R. F. KINGSCOTE

Who was mainly instrumental in the victory of England over France in the Davis Cup Tie at Deauville last week.

and together they won the doubles championship from 1897 to 1906, with but one break. During those ten years the game, which had lost some ground in public estimation after the retirement of the brothers Renshaw, underwent a notable revival and a gradual process of expansion, which still appears to be limitless. It was the Dohertys who brought this about, almost as much, perhaps, by the subtle influence of their charming personality as by the extraordinary skill and gracefulness of their play, which inspired others with a desire to imitate them.

The Doherty Brothers Compared

It will always be a moot point which of the two was the finer player, but I think it will generally be conceded that "Laurie," besides being better endowed physically (though neither of them was at all robust), and more capable of facing the ordeal of a long and exhausting match, was also the cleverer tactician, even if "Reggie" possessed the finer *repertoire* of strokes. After 1906, when he resigned the championship, he was seldom seen in public, and from about 1910, onwards, he devoted himself entirely to golf, at which he became a "plus" player in an incredibly short time. The breakdown in his health, which ended in his untimely death, was brought about mainly by the onerous nature of his services in connection with the War.

Who Said "Decadence"?

The news of the victory of England over France in the final tie of the preliminary competition for the Davis Cup, came as a welcome surprise to most followers of the game in England. The prevailing opinion was that Gobert would win both his singles for France and that Gobert and Laurentz would win the double (which would give France the necessary three matches) so that when at the end of the second day's play France led by two matches to one—Gobert having beaten Davson and won the double with Laurentz against Barrett and Turnbull—it seemed to be all over bar the shouting. However, Kingscote, who had only beaten Laurentz on the first day after struggling for two hours, rose to the occasion manfully, and actually beat the French champion in "straight" sets—though they were all of them close. Davson also overcame Laurentz by a wonderful display

SAILING WITHOUT SEA-SICKNESS

It seems curious that these people should want to do their yachting on land with the sea so handy, but immunity from *mal de mer* is a possible explanation. The snapshot was taken at Ostend

Photo *Sports and General*

THE LATE MR. H. L. DOHERTY

Ex-champion of lawn tennis, and one of its greatest players, whose death, at the age of 43, occurred on August 21

GAMES AND PASTIMES (concluded)

of dogged defensive tactics, which ultimately caused the Frenchman to "crack" in the fifth set, hampered, as he was, by an attack of cramp; and so England got home by three matches to two.

A Personal Triumph

It was a great triumph, especially for Kingscote, who has never played better. It may be recalled that he learnt most of his tennis on hard courts in Switzerland. Davson also fully justified his selection, for Laurentz on his native courts was a very different man from the Laurentz whom we saw at Wimbledon.

CRICKET

The Two Leading Counties

In spite of all that has been said and written—not without justification, either—of the absurdity of the conditions under which the County Championship is decided this year, they have not been sufficiently absurd to prevent the two best counties from coming out at the top of the table. Yorkshire and Kent have proved themselves to be a good way ahead of their rivals, and I think that of the two Yorkshire really deserve the foremost position. Kent are lucky in having such a brilliant all-round cricketer as Woolley; but he is their mainstay and without him they would be far less formidable. On the other hand, there is no one who is similarly essential to Yorkshire. The team would still be a powerful one, for instance, if Rhodes were placed *hors-de-combat*. Moreover, I think that if the matches were three-day, instead of two-day, matches, the supremacy of Yorkshire would have been more pronounced.

H. S. S.

MR. "BOBBY" JONES
the 17 year old golfer of Atlanta, who recently reached the final of the Amateur Golf Championship of America, and was then beaten by Mr. Herron a veteran (by comparison) of 21.

A Correction

By a slip of the pen, N. E. Brookes and G. L. Patterson, who have recently won the lawn tennis doubles championship of America, were incorrectly described, under their portraits in our last issue, as having won the doubles championship at Wimbledon, this championship having been, in fact, won by their compatriots, P. O'Hara Wood and R. V. Thomas, who beat them unexpectedly in the semi-final.

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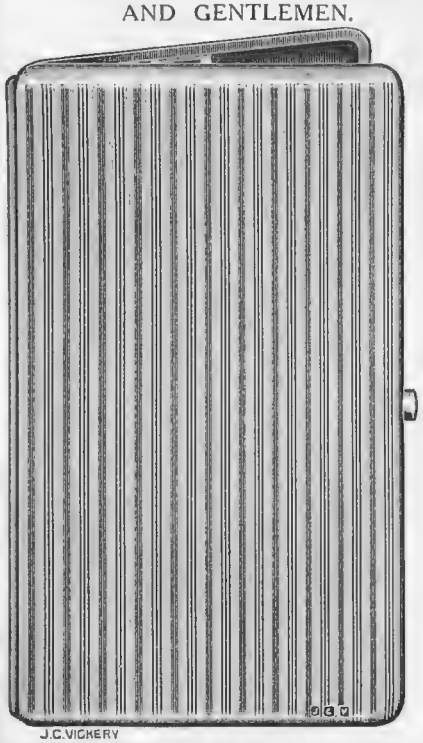

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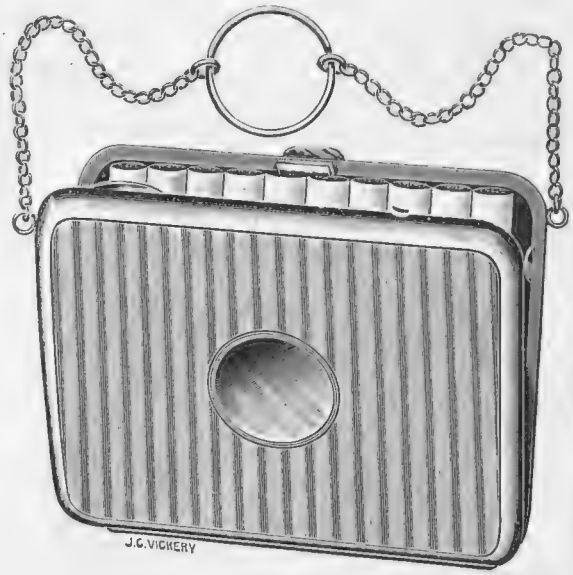

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Almost a Tragedy

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She: "Hullo, what does Jenkyn want?"

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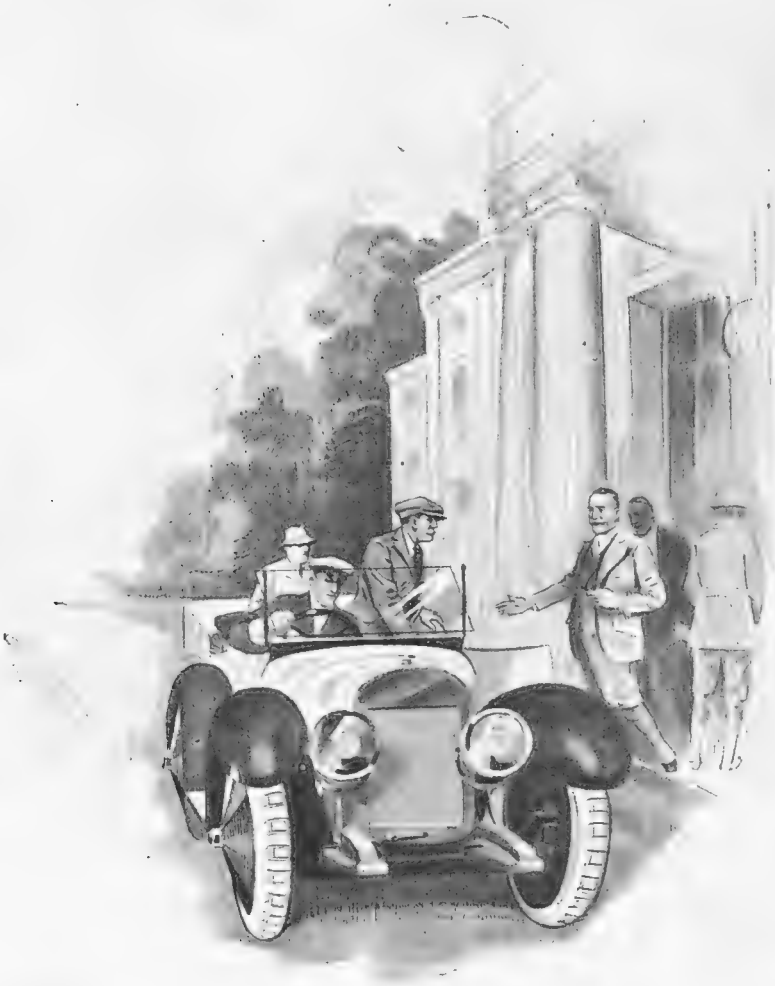

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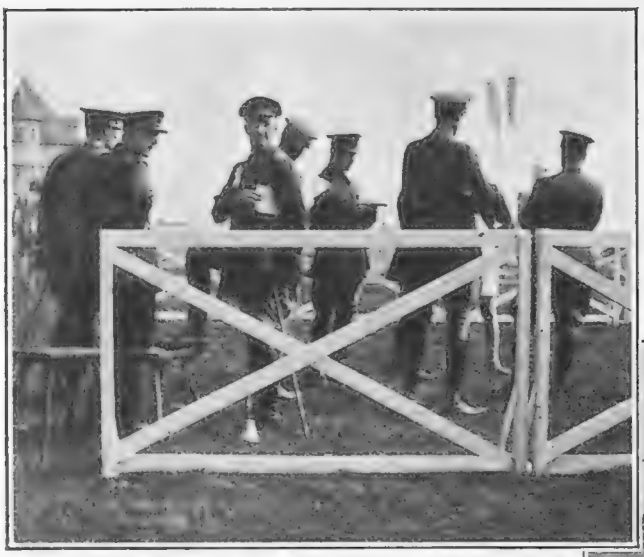

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RACING TOPICS

IMPORTANT HANDICAPS. By "CARBINE"

York Meeting

After a slack period the autumnal racing season began very successfully with the excellent meeting at York, last week. Sport on the historic Knavesmire is always enjoyable. The Ebor day was unfortunately black for backers. One of the leading bookmakers on the rails told me the same evening that he had won more money during the afternoon than on any day since 1914, and, as the bookies are never prone to talk about their winnings, you can take it that the layers had a very good time indeed. I met very few punters who wound up on the right side. The crowd was tremendous, and they lost their money over favourites in a good sporting spirit. It is not altogether a bad thing for the country that the workers should experience a losing time at the meeting, as it means that, relieved of their superfluous cash, they will apply themselves to their respective jobs with redoubled vigour, and thus appreciably increase production. This may sound a curious argument, but all the same, it is absolutely true.

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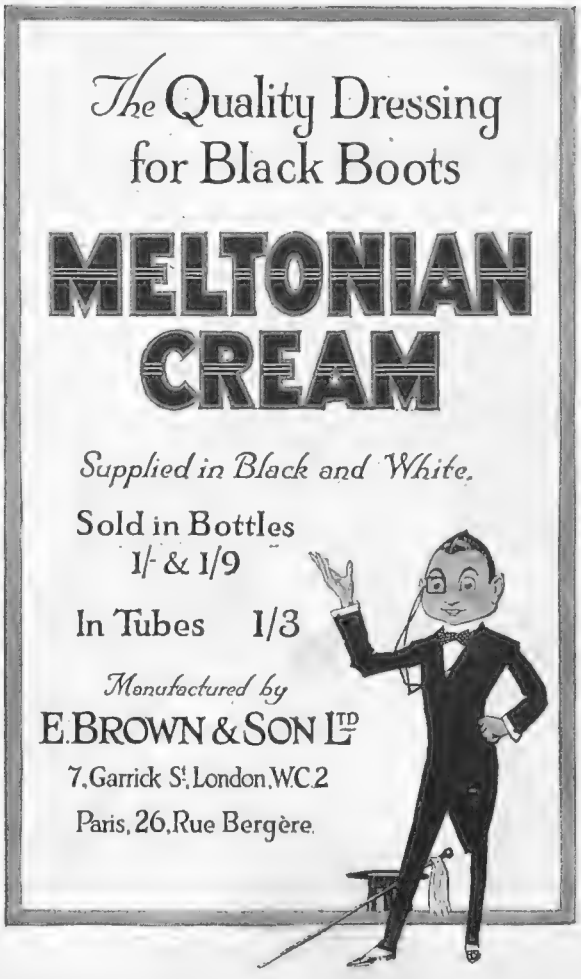
Selections for Derby

A good deal of highly interesting racing will be seen during the next few weeks. At Derby some important nursery handicaps are being run this week. I shall not be surprised to see **Aislabie** win the Devonshire Nursery on Wednesday, and **Black Domino** is the one who catches my eye in the Elvaston Nursery on the following day. In the Peveril of the Peak Plate, the Manton stable has a couple of dangerous candidates in My Dear at the head of the handicap and Quadrille among the bottom division. In my opinion either could win. My Dear has not been seen out this season, and I shall vote for **Quadrille**, who will be exactly suited by the distance, and appears to me to be quite favourably handicapped.



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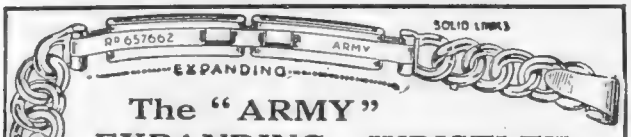

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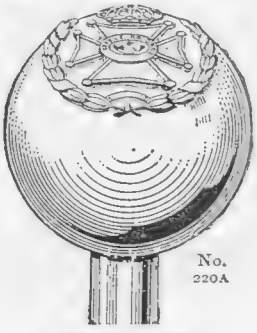

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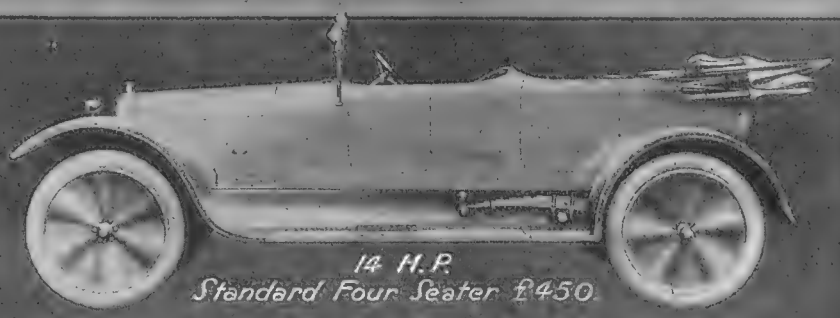

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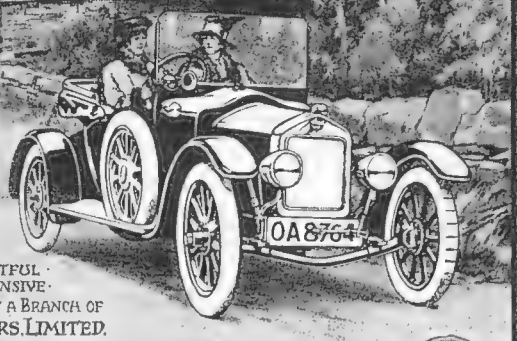

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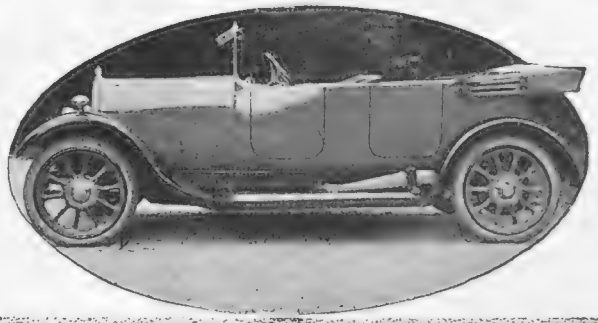

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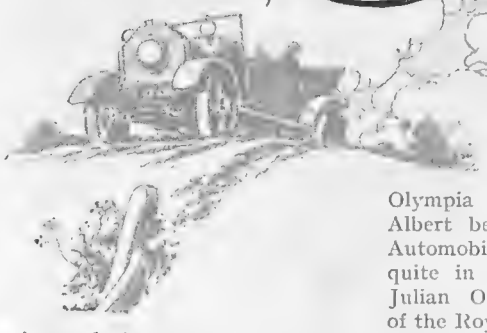

It is wonderful what success will do and how it showers things on those that achieve it. It does not seem so long ago when acrimonious discussions and advertisements used to appear about Victor tyres. Recently the appreciative shareholders of this company, at the annual general meeting, unanimously resolved to present to Sir W. Yarworth Jones and his good lady a service of gold plate in recognition of how he had steered the concern through shoals of opposition to the calm waters of paying dividends, and to celebrate the honour of knighthood conferred upon him by the King for "great services rendered to your country." Fancy shareholders being as grateful as all that! I always thought their business was to grumble at whatever they got and wonder why it was not more, generally abusing the directorate as well. Still, other times, other manners, and it seems quite a nice change, and almost tempts me to be a director of something myself.

What with the King having graciously consented again to be the patron of the Motor Show at Olympia in November, and Prince Albert becoming a member of the Automobile Association, it seems quite in the fitness of things that Julian Orde, the genial secretary of the Royal Automobile Club, should receive a knighthood. Motorists all over the world will congratulate him on his well-deserved honour. The only thing I am sorry about is that fashion, nowadays, won't allow him to appear in armour with sword, shield, and gilt spurs, as, 'pon my word, he "be a proper knight," to quote a Devonshire maid's criticism of his commanding presence. Congratulations also will be well showered upon Sir W. Joynson-Hicks, M.P., on his baronetcy, which all road users will give him for the good fight he put up for the freedom of the roads in the Transport Act, that is now law. If he goes on with the good work, and gets us a new Motor-Car Act, with provisions suitable to present-time circumstances, I shall expect to see him a belted earl, though I am sure Twickenham would be sorry to lose him were he transplanted to the Upper House.

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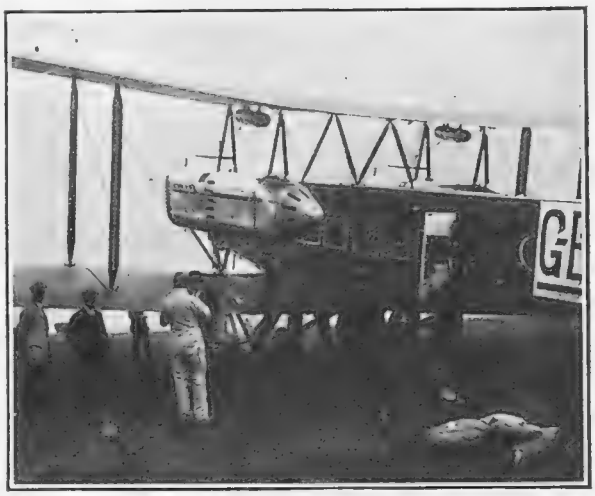
A British air record has been given to Captain Gathergood, for the speed by which he won the recent Aerial Derby at the Graham-White aerodrome, on a Napier-engined Airco biplane, on July 21. The record stands as the fastest time made in this country on a closed circuit under the observation of the ruling body in aviation in Great Britain, the Royal Aero Club. The speed the Lion Napier engine caused this Airco machine to travel was 129.3 miles per hour. Some going, when you come to think about it, as it means you could have flown from the London Aerodrome to York and back again in the hour. It gives one quite an idea of what the subaltern on short leave will be able to accomplish in lessening space and saving time in the future. Some will, no doubt, run their own machines, and few military stations will exist without the jobbing aeroplane master, who will be prepared to convey officers to their homes on terms. I wish I could safely prophesy what those self-same terms would be, but courage fails me to make the attempt to-day. Yet I feel this is sure to come in time. During the period, shortly after the



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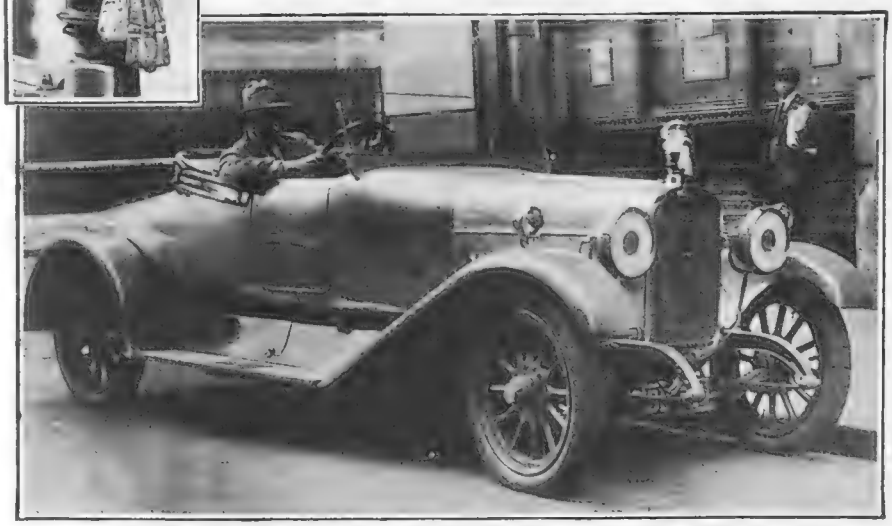

CAPTAIN BRUCE BAIRNSFATHER IN HIS SUNBEAM CAR

Captain Bairnsfather has now become, if possible, even more famous than ever before as the Editor of "Fragments." Inset is a picture of the "Old Bill" mascot, made in aluminium, which adorns the radiator of his car

MOTORING AND AVIATION (concluded)

Boer War, I wrote an article suggesting that motoring offered a fair field of useful occupation as a business for women, as drivers of cars, etc. I should like to reproduce the criticisms upon it to-day, in the light of what has taken place during the past five years. My word, how I was jumped on, yet—well, it's no good writing the obvious.

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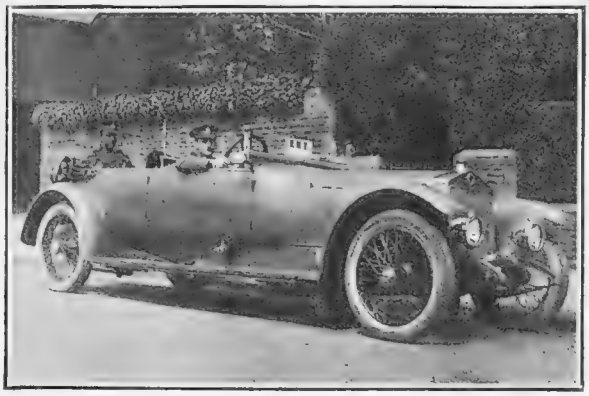
BUILDERS of small motor-cars will have to fit governors on the engine if the internal combustion motor increases in power and speed much more. I am led to this remark owing to a visit paid to Stafford recently where I tested a 10 h.p. Dorman engine fitted to an old light-car chassis. This little motor developed on the test bench 17 h.p. at 1700 revs., and 20 h.p. at 2000 revolutions of the crank-shaft per minute. On the road with five up, all trusty fellows, the Dorman engine pulled equally well at slow and high speeds without any suspicion of a period or being over-run and gave a road speed on top from about four miles per hour to 35 miles per hour. I daresay it would have carried us much faster, but neither the springs or the chassis would have stood it, as it had to be throttled down owing to the pot holes on the road to Chester from Stafford causing the body to sit right down on the springs when travelling at the higher rate. This new little 10 h.p. engine is a credit to Messrs. W. H. Dorman and Co., Ltd.,



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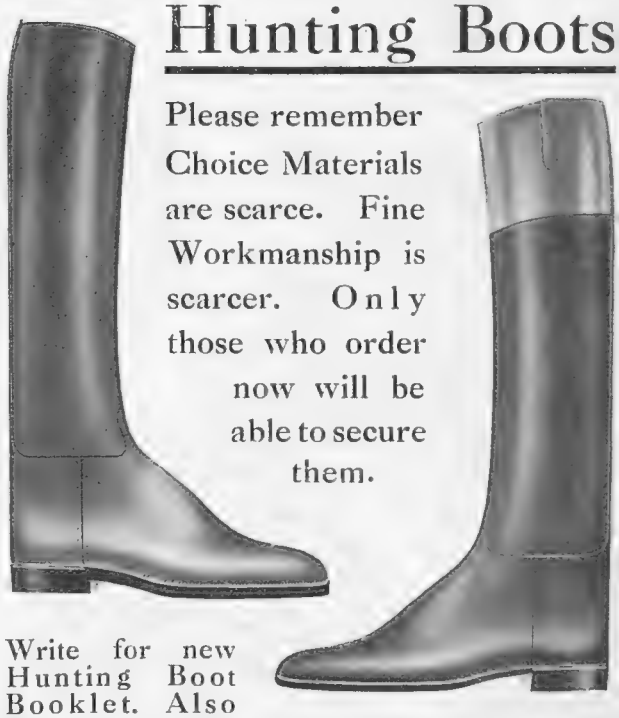

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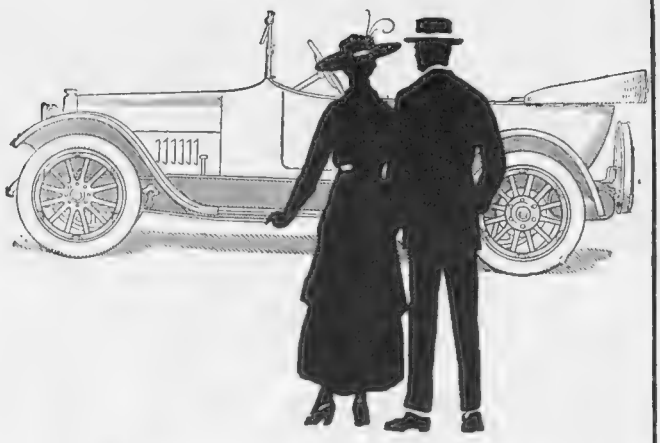

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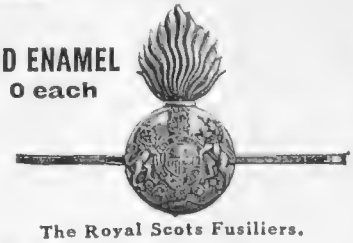

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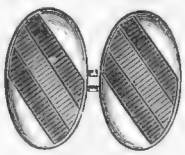

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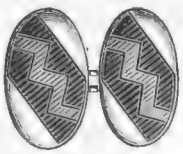

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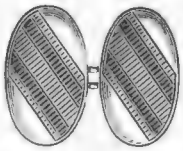

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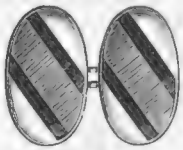

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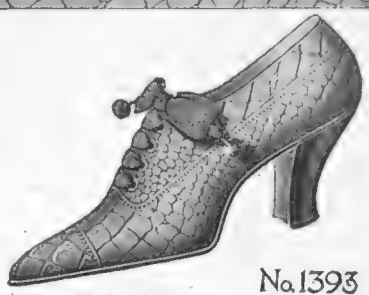

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A BOY'S SCHOOL OVERCOAT
Sketched at Shoolbreds, Tottenham Court Road

Mothers who are essaying the first school outfit, with its many unexpected ramifications, cannot possibly do better than place themselves unreservedly into the hands of the ruling head of the boys' outfitting at Tottenham Court Road.

A Mecca for Dainty Damsels

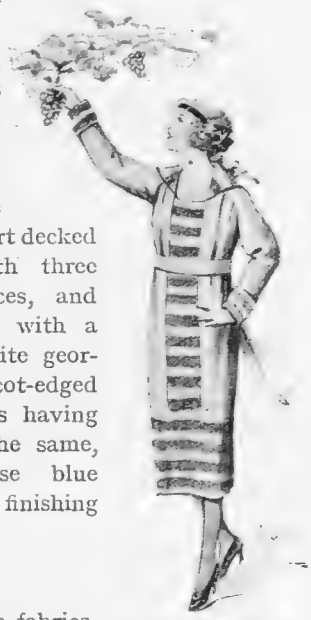
IT is a pleasurable experience, as all will find, to visit the *salon* devoted to girls, at Dickins and Jones, Regent Street. There is an enviable reputation to be upheld here, and most ably has it been fulfilled, this season, in every direction. The which renders it all the more difficult to concentrate on any one particular phase. However, as the accompanying sketch provides the text of dance and party gowns, it may be said, without a shade of invidiousness, that the taste displayed in these creations verily touches the supreme.

Nothing more dainty or original could be conceived than the lozenge embroidered white net, culled to the service of the model pictured, with its pointed tunic, pretty plastron bodice, and decorative sash of delicate orchid pink satin ribbon, a frock suitable for girls from fifteen to eighteen years of age. Produced at the pre-war price, 5½ guineas, is a saxe blue *crêpe de Chine*, its full skirt decked at wide intervals with three narrow gathered flounces, and simple corsage finished with a picturesque fichu of white georgette, trimmed small picot-edged frills, the short sleeves having turned-back cuffs of the same, while a narrow, loose blue velvet band adds the finishing touch of daintiness.

A PARTY FROCK
Sketched at Dickins and Jones, Regent Street

Cosy and Chic

AUTRES temps, autres fabrics. So, as the coming winter holds every indication of being a coalless one, all praise to the firm of Peter Robinson, who, at their Oxford Street house, are offering a selection of the most fascinating slip-on wool jersey frocks that should be jumped at for school wear. Girls will love those for the ease with which they can be donned, and with nothing perishable to be replenished in the way of cuffs and collars. The example sketched is in a pleasant shade of teal woven with a blue stripe and finished by cuffs and collar and belt of plain roughed-up wool.



A SLIP-ON WOOL JERSEY
Sketched at Peter Robinson's, Oxford St.

Simpler in character, but equally attractive, is another model of dull red, relieved by embroidered *motifs* worked in art green and grey. Practical and persuasive in the highest degree are these wool jersey frocks, and pretty well assured of making history. In serge, also, there are many offerings on coat frock lines, ranging in price from about 55*s.* 6*d.*, to each of which is given some cleverly thought-out distinctive touch.

What Every Mother Should Know

THAT Samuel Brothers, of Oxford Circus and Ludgate Hill, outfitters of such long accredited renown as to

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need no further introduction, are continuing to issue that invaluable duplicate outfit list of theirs. The boon this piece of enterprise has and is proving to clients in the country no words can describe; it is so thoroughly comprehensive, including every conceivable requirement, down to such trifles as sponge bags and tooth-brushes. The correct procedure is to tick off the required articles on the two lists, forwarding one to either of the above addresses, with the necessary measurements when a personal visit is impossible, and Samuel Brothers do the rest.

From out a multifarious selection of suits, our artist has sketched the Braemar, which has the coat built on sporty lines, with yoke and applied band at the back, and is completed by knickers that fall over and below the knee after the manner of those worn by the Guards. In Harris and Scotch tweed and Lovats this is unquestionably one of the smartest suits of the season, and costing, for boys of about eleven years, 4½ guineas. Then, in a *salon* above, a similarly comprehensive scheme is evolved for girls.

THE "BRAEMAR" SUIT
Sketched at Samuel Brothers, Oxford Circus

The Classic Eton Suit

On calling at D. H. Evans, Oxford Street, it was to find everything well in hand for the school-buying onslaught. After many years of a wide and varied experience, the authorities here are able to gauge to a nicety the requirements of their public. A more exhaustive supply of boys' outfitting it would be impossible to find, special attention being paid to underwear, heavy weight qualities naturally taking the lead at this period of the year. Pyjamas at 16*s.* 6*d.* represent a reasonable price, in view of the upward grade of things. And, similarly so, some warm camel's-hair dressing-gowns, built in the best approved mannish fashion, with cord pipings and rope girdle, that range from 34*s.* 6*d.* Needless to say, these are necessaries that cannot be bought too carefully, together with shirts, collars, hosiery, etc., the best being the cheapest in the long run.

AN ETON SUIT
Sketched at D. H. Evans, Oxford Street

There is some significance in the classic Eton suit being chosen for pictorial presentment here, the coat and vest in vicuna cloth, commencing, for boys of nine years of age, at 43*s.* 6*d.*, and hair-line trousers at 25*s.*, each successive size being subjected to a most reasonable rise.

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She is showing, for example, this season, a certain novel frieze, hand woven, in the most exquisite colourings, that washes as the proverbial rag. And of this there are built both coats and skirts and frocks. A suit of rose colour, with belted coat, is of surpassing charm, as is also a frock in a curious pale green, lightly and tastefully embroidered in dull reds and *beige*. Elizabeth again gets right away from the stereotyped navy, in the school frock illustrated, which is carried out in terra-cotta serge, trimmed black silk braid and tassels. The coatee effect will be noted as particularly pleasing, with its real little pockets either side the front, for some gay *mouchoir*.

A DAINTY SCHOOL FROCK
Sketched at Elizabeth's 45, South Molton Street

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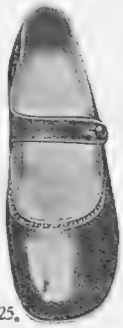
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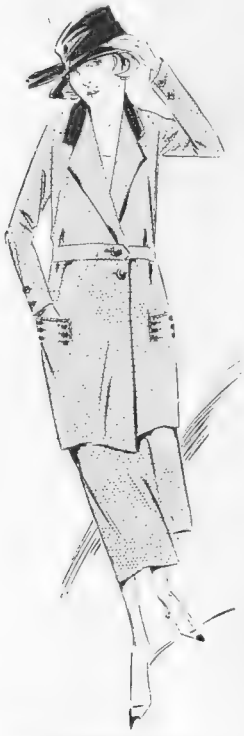
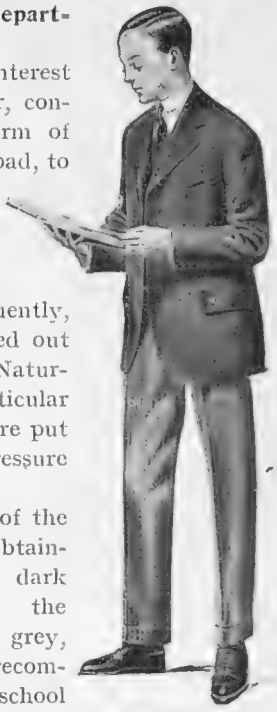


A STREET SUIT
Sketched at Debenham and Freebody's

The street suit, illustrated, is of navy suiting, the pockets bound braid and trimmed with buttons, a further smart touch being supplied by a collar of velvet. Designed for young ladies from sixteen to eighteen years, Debenham's price for this *recherché* costume is only eight guineas.

Bespoke Boys' Tailoring Department

MANY will learn with interest that, after the War, conditions now enable the firm of Gooch, Ltd., Brompton Road, to carry on their made to measurement department as usual. That is to say, the firm's expert staff is up to the required force, consequently, orders placed can be carried out with reasonable despatch. Naturally, however, at this particular moment, the earlier these are put in hand the better, as the pressure is bound to be severe.



THE MARLBORO' SUIT
Sketched at Gooch's

The illustration taken is of the regulation Marlboro' suit, obtainable in either vicuna or dark serges, accompanied by the correct, neat striped, dark grey, cashmere trousers. Gooch's recommendation for preparatory school service is a Norfolk lounge suit, the coat following the lines of the Rugby. This is proving an unqualified success, as is also the Scarboro', the which is a modified Rugby, completed by short trousers for small boys.

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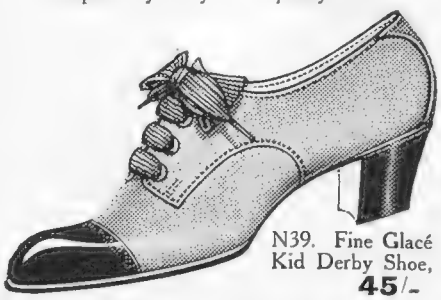

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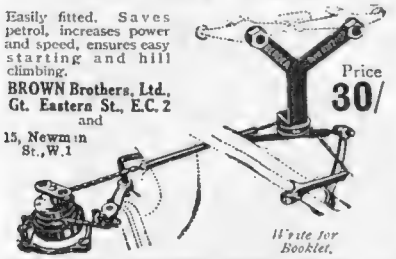

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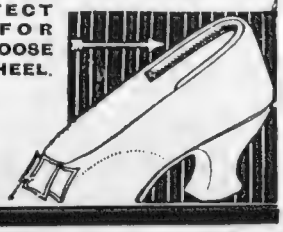

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FEW mothers, on the outlook for children's clothes, fail to stop before the spacious glass frontage of Rowe, of Gosport, whose London house is at New Bond Street. All the same, this window display represents a mere tithe of what is to be found inside. Habitués will be both surprised and pleased to find the long contemplated extension, held up by the War, is now completed.

A TAILOR-MADE GIRL'S SUIT
Sketched at Rowe's, Bond Street

To meet the exigencies of schools, Rowe is creating the plain, perfectly turned out tailor-made suit, one that is assured of stamping a girl at once as being dressed with taste and discretion. Considerable attention is being paid to the useful wrap coat, lacking which, no autumn outfit may account itself complete One of many models is here illustrated, the actual example sketched carried out in a mixture of grey and blue frieze, the latter *nuance* prevailing, the pockets, collar and cuffs piped with a darker shade, and a further decorative touch supplied in dark pierced pearl buttons.

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A NAVY SERGE FROCK
Sketched at John Barker's, Kensington

Wool tricot dresses are, likewise, in evidence in these *salons*, and will sell as the proverbial hot cakes. Illustrated is one of the more dressy navy serge frocks, suitable to Sunday or afternoon wear, a model that shows the feeling for pleated panels and braiding, amazingly cheap, too, at 5 guineas for girls about thirteen years of age.

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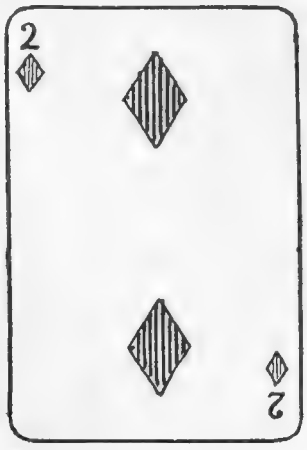

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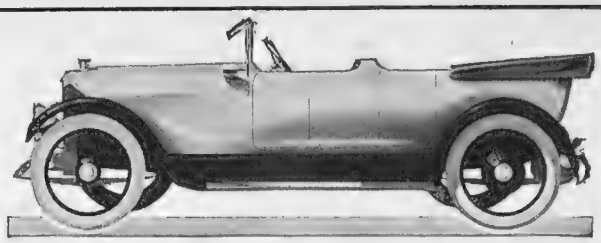

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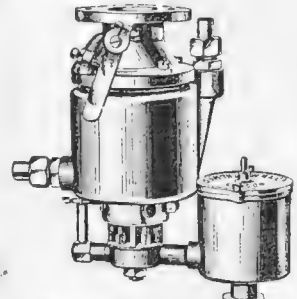

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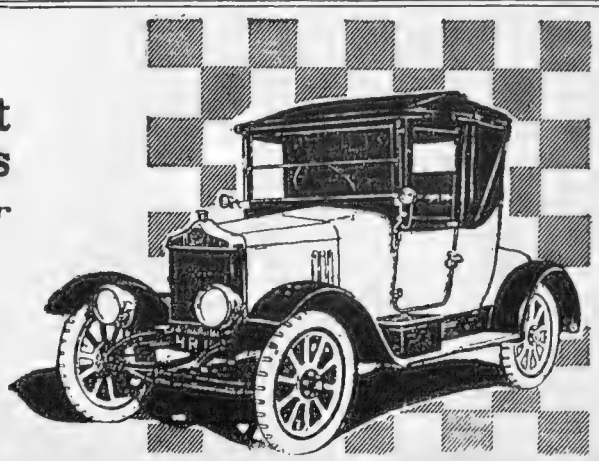

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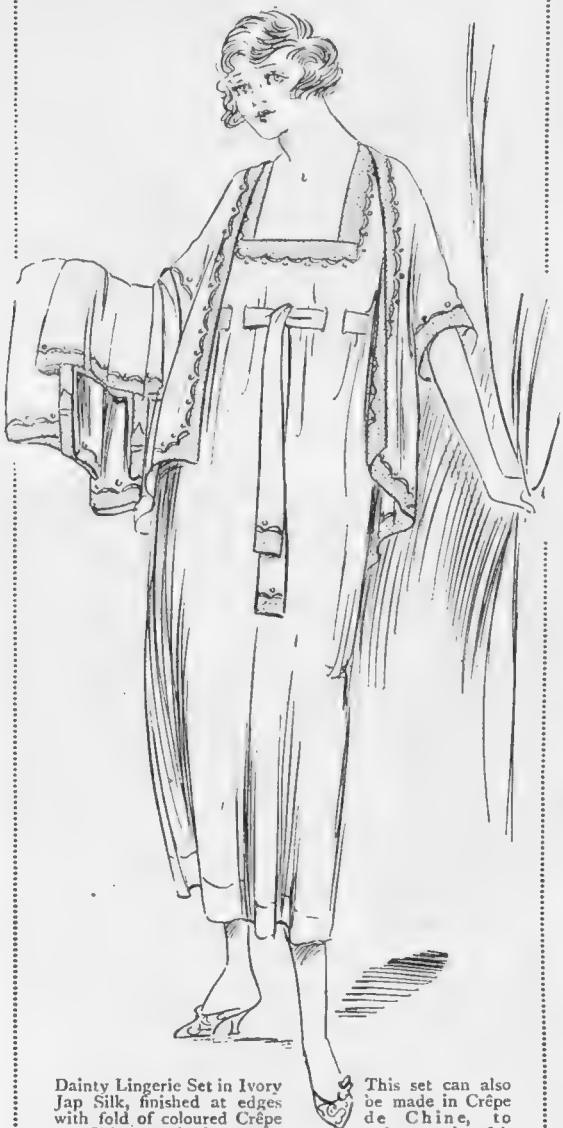

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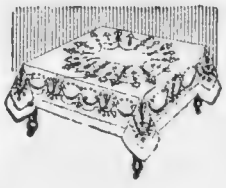

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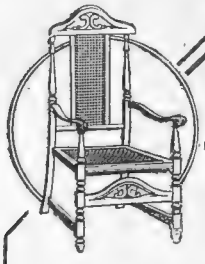

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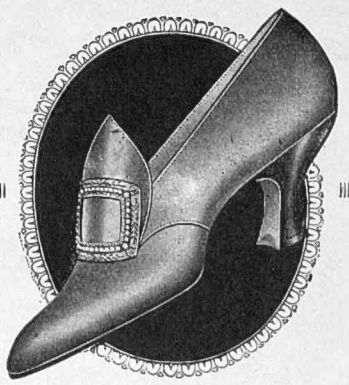

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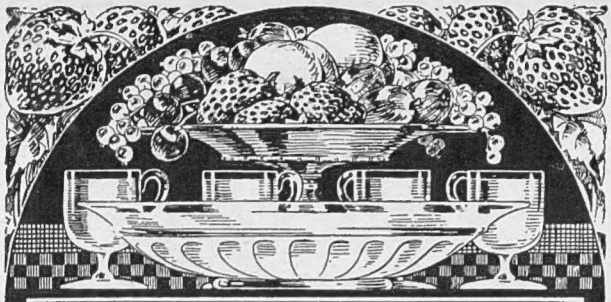

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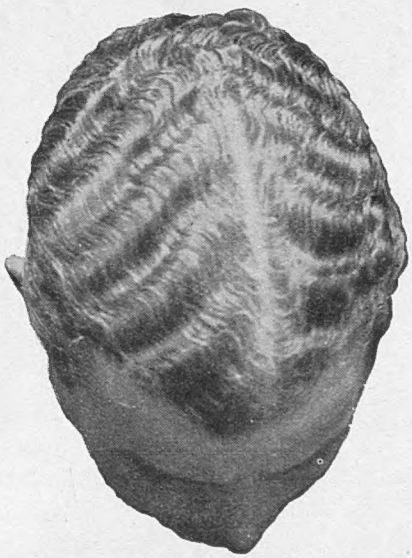

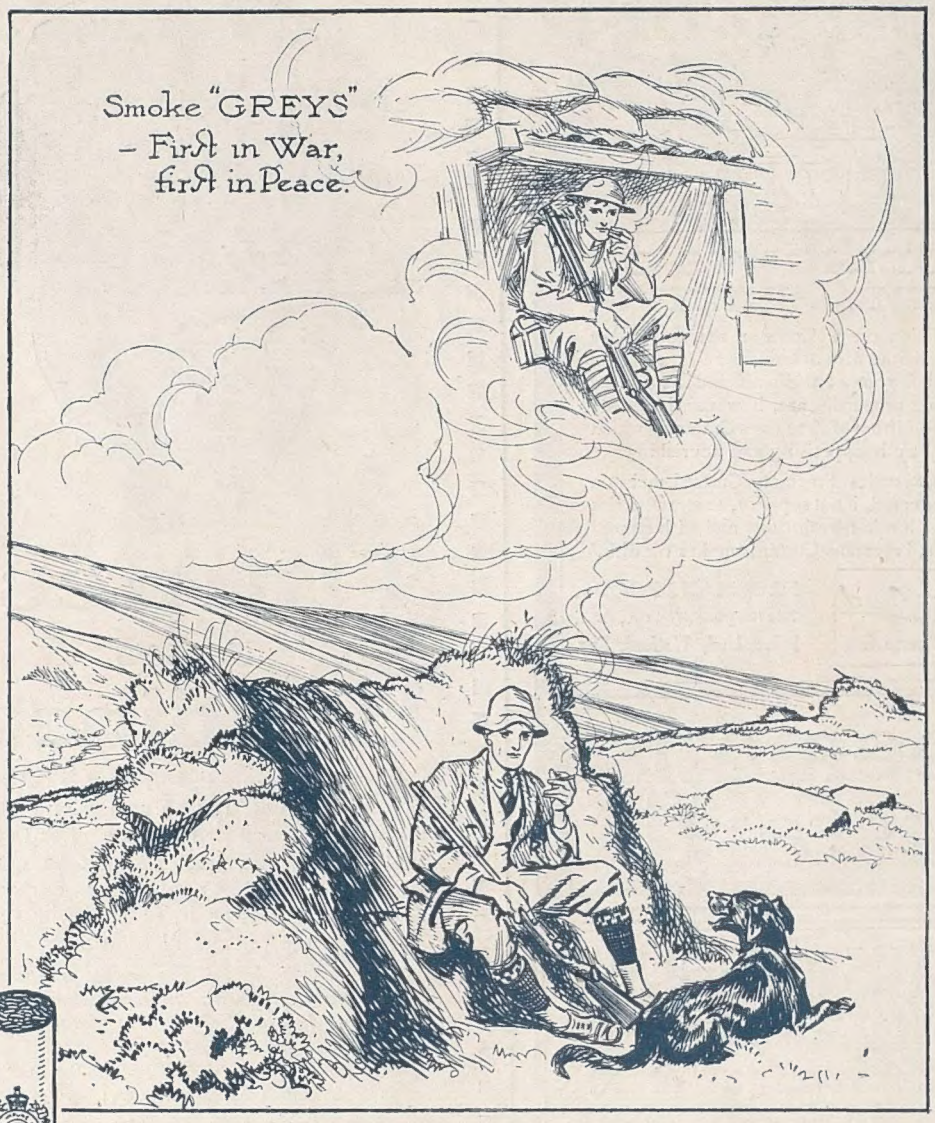

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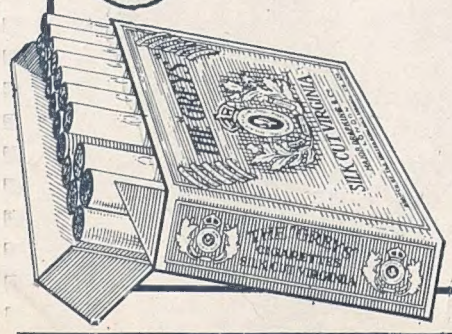

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